

MPHATSO ZA MULUNGU

NTHAWIZONSE

ZIMAPEZA MALO AKE

 Zikomo inu, M'bale Neville. [M'bale Neville akuti, "Mulungu akudalitseni inu, m'bale."—Mkonzi.] Ambuye akudalitseni inu, m'bale.

Mwaswera, abwenzi. Ine ndangofika kumene, kanthawi kapitako, ndipo ine ndinaganiza kuti ndingobwera ndikudzakufunirani inu nonse "Chisangalalo cha Khrisimasi."

² Ndipo chotero ine sindimadziwa kuti ndingadzakhale ndi mwayi waukulu uwu kuti ndidzayankhule nanu Mawu a Ambuye. Ndipo kotero M'bale Neville anandipempha ine, ndipo ine ndinali ndi maphunziro angapo aang'ono a Khrisimasi amene ine ndakhala ndikuwagwiritsa ntchito, limodzi la ilo uko ku—ku Phoenix ndi kumusi ku Tucson, malo osiyanasiyana cha kumeneko, uthenga wozolowereka wa Khrisimasi. Ndipo ine ndinaganiza, usikuuno, ine ndingoyankhula pa chinachake chaching'ono pano chimene Ambuye anayika pa mtima wanga posachedwapa, pamene ine ndinali uko mu Colorado.

³ Ndipo ine ndimalingalira za chinachake pa nthawi ya Khrisimasi, ndipo ine ndiri ndi zolemba zazing'ono pafupifupi faivi kapena sikisi apa, Malemba ndi zinthu. A...Ine sindi... Ine ndikuganiza M'bale Neville ndi atumiki onse amachita zimenezo. Inu...zimawoneka ngati chinachake chikubwera kwa iwe, ndipo iwe umachilemba icho. Iwe umadikirira pang'ono, ndipo umachilemba icho. Ine ndimachilemba icho pa tabuleti ya pepala, pa tabuleti ya pepala basi. Ndiye ine ndikaitanidwa nthawiina, ine ndimayang'ana mmbuyo modutsa apa ndikuti, "Chinali chiyani ichi tsopano chimene ine ndinachigwira?" Ndi mmene zimakhalira, pamene ife taitanidwa mwaliwiro ndithu, inu mukudziwa.

⁴ Ndinkakonda, ine...pamene ine ndinali wamng'ono, ine ndimatha basi...malingaliro anga amakhala chomwecho, ine ndimakhoza kungoganiza ichi pompano, ndipo ine sindimachita kudikirira, ine ndikuganiza "Masiku khumi apitawo ine ndinali kwina kwake, malo ena ake. Mutu wake ndi umenewo. Ndi uwu apa, ndi izi apa nkumapitirira."

⁵ Inu mukudziwa, pakuti ine nadadutsa zochitika zingapo, M'bale Higginbotham, ndipo ndawoloka mitsinje ingapo, kuti izo sizikumabweranso mwanjira imeneyo panonso, ndikupita

patali pang'ono pa ulendowu. Koma izo...monga ananenera M'bale Neville, kanthawi kapitako, "Ife tikuyandikira, yandikira Kwathu."

⁶ Ndi chabwino kubwerera kwathu. Ine, ndikubwerera, bwanji, chisanu chambiri. Ndipo kuli...ndipo ndamva za ngozi ndi zinthu, zambiri za izo pa msewu, ndi anthu aphedwa. Ndipo kungoganiza za mazana angati atataye moyo wawo tsopano, pakati pa usikuuno ndi pambuyo pa Chaka Chatsopano, ndi achi Amerika angati ati afe! Ndipo inu mukudziwa, ena a ife tikhoza kukhala pomwe pano, usikuuno. Ndipo zikungodalira tsopano, icho...mmene tirili pamaso pa Mulungu. Ndiro fuko lomvetsa chisoni, m'bale uyu anatero, chisoni ponseponse. Ndipo mbendera yathu yakhala yopachikika, masiku sate, mwatheka, zonzezo chifukwa cha tchimo ndi anthu amene akukana kuvomereza njira ya Mulungu ya—ya—ya zinthu.

⁷ Ngakhale ngati ife titati sitikugwirizana naye munthu, ngati ife sitingathe kuchita izo mwanjira ya ubale, ndiyeno... Mwaona, ngati Khristu ali mu mtima, ndiye ziribe kanthu kuti simukugwirizana naye munthuyo mochuluka bwanji, inu mukhalabe ndi chikondi pa iye ndipo muzimulemekeza. Ine ndatsutsanapo ndi anthu ambiri, nthawi zambiri. Komabe, ine sindinamuwonepo mmodzi yemwe ine ndinatsutsanapo naye yemwe ine ndinayamba ndamuganizirapo china kuposa "kukumbatira nkono wanga pa iye ndi kumutcha iye 'm'bale wanga,' kuyesera kuti ndimuthandizire iye mopambana mmene ine ndingathere." Ine ndimatsutsana naye iye chifukwa chakuti ine ndikuganiza mwinamwake chifukwa cha kutsutsanako kuti iye...Zimene iye amakhulupirira, kuti ine ndikhoza kusakhulupirira chimodzimodzi monga iyeyo, koma...ndi zina zotero, koma tsopano ine ndikhoza kuyesera kuwonetsera njira yanga kwa iye monga iye akuwonetsera yake kwa ine, ndi kuzibweretsa izo pamodzi ndi kuzipesa izo ndi kuwona chimene ife tiri nacho, koma kutsutsana kuli chomwecho. Kaya zifika mpaka pati...ife sitikuyenera kuti tizikwiyirana kapena kufuna kupwetekana, kapena kuwononganana kapena chirichonse. Ife nthawizonse tiyenera kuti tiziyesera kumangirizana.

⁸ Tiri ndi nyengo yozizira kuno, sichoncho ife? Seventethuu pamene ine ndimachoka ku Tucson, ndipo pamene dzuwa limalowa ndipo kukuda, inali ikadali sikisite-naini. Chotero, ndiye kubwerera kuno, ine ndikungonjenjemera yense, inu mukudziwa. Ine...Msewu wonsewo uli ndi chisanu, ndipo pansi pa ziro, ndi chipale ndi chirichonse, ine ndachita kuzoloweranso izo. Zimakhala zachirendo kwambiri mmene iwe umazolowerera "nyengo" moteromo—njira yaying'ono. Ndipo chikusiireni inu, ine sindinapeze konse mpata woti ndikhale bwino. Ine ndinali ndi...ngati kutsekeka kwa mphuno mu—nyengoyi kuno, ndipo pamene ine ndikukalamba...Ndipo ine

ndinabadwa ndi kukulira kuno. Koma pamene, iwe umawona, pamene iwe uli wamng'ono, iwe umakhala ndi chinachake, iwe umakhoza kuchitaira kutali; koma pamene iwe wakalamba, bwanji, iwe umayamba kudzapeza kuti chinachake sichiri pamenepo. Izo zinkachitika kuti, iwe umakhala kungoiwala za izo. Iwe... pali chinachake pamenepo chimene—chimene sichingaponyere kutali basi monga zinkachitikira pamene iwe unali mwana, koteri ine ndapeza mwanjira imeneyo kuti ine... nyengo yofunda iyo, kwa bambo wokalamba, imakhala ngati imathandizapo pang'ono.

⁹ Ine ndikukumbukira ndikubwera chotsika Utica Pike uko, ndiri mwana (usinkhu wa zaka seveni, eyiti, teni, thwelofu, fortini), wosavala nsapato (nsapato za tenisi) ndipo iyo ili eyiti kapena teni pansi pa ziro, ndi nsapato za tenisi, zala zitatulukira pamenepo. Ndipo wopanda... tsopano uko sikuyenda pansi ngati pa msewu kuno, koma kupuntha chisanu. Úko kopanda magalimoto oti akubwera, kumakhoza kukhala galimoto ya ngolo kamodzi pa nthawi. Kumayenda chotsika msewu wawukulu uwo mmawa, nditavala chikhotho chaching'ono chakale, wopanda malaya, ndipo icho nditachimangirira monga *chonchi*, osaposa chimene ine ndavalala pakali pano; ndikunyowa mpaka kumawondo anga, kumapitirirabe mkatni ndipo osalabadira za izo. Mwaona, osakhala nkome we ndi chinfine. Koma izo zinali pafupifupi zaka forte-faivi zapitazo. Koteri, mulu wonse wa zofooketsa, mamailosí ambiri apita ndipo ndawonjezera pa choyezera liwi, inu mukudziwa, koteri ife sitikumazitenga izo basi monga mmene ife tinkachitira.

¹⁰ Ine ndamuwona M'bale Capps anatukulira mutu wake mmwamba. Ndinu wamng'ono kwambiri kuti muziganiza maganizo amenewo tsopano. Ndipo koteri mudikire mpaka inu mudzafike pomwe M'bale Neville ndi ine tiri, ndiye—ndiye inu mudza—inu mudzaganiza zinthu zambiri mosiyana, zimakhala ngati zimafooketsa.

¹¹ Chabwino, ife takhalapo nazo nthawi zopambana mwa Ambuye. Ambuye atidalitsa ife mochuluka, ndipo ndine wothokoza kwambiri. Ndipo ine ndabwerera, ine ndikuganiza, Lamlungu likubwerali, Ambuye akalola, ine ndikufuna, ngati M'bale Neville alibe nazo vuto, a...ine ndidzakhala ndi msonkhano, mwinamwake Lamlungu mmawa ndi mwinamwake Lamlungu usiku, msonkhano wa machiritso wa Lamlungu usiku. Lamlungu mmawa ine ndiri ndi uthenga wofunikira, ngati Ambuye alola kuti ine ndidzawupereke iwo. Ine sindinaganizire mutu wanga...sikuti ndi mutu wanga wokha panobe, ndiribe nkhani yake kwa iwo, chifukwa ine—ine...osati ndiribe—ndiribe chirichonse, inu mukudziwa, vumbulutso kuchokera kwa Ambuye, koma basi mwa inemwini. Ine—ine ndikufuna kuti ndidzafotokoze chinachake Lamlungu chimene ine

ndikuyembekeza kuti chidzakhala ngati chathandizirapo pang'ono mnjira izi.

¹² Ine ndiyenera kupita tsopano kotumikira, ndipo tsiku lirilonse pafupifupi ndi lotengedwa kulikonse. Ine ndikuganiza Billy amandiuba ine, pa ndondomeko ya ulendo, kuti ine ndiri ndi masiku awiri kapena atatu omwe ine ndingabwere kunyumba mu Epulo ndikachoka kuno, kubwerera ku Tucson, ndipo izo pafupifupi zikukhazikitsa izo ndiye. Ndiyeno mpaka Novembara akubwerayu, Okutobara, pamene ine nditi ndidzabwerenso ku mbali iyi kachiwiri kuchokera ku tsidya la nyanja.

¹³ Tsopano, masiku awiri ena isanafike Khrisimasi. Tsiku limodzi lina, sichoncho izo? Amenewo adzakhala awiri. Lolemba...Lachiwiri Usiku wa Khrisimasi? Lachiwiri Usiku wa Khrisimasi. Kodi izo sizoipa kuwona kuti tchuthi chachikulu ichi, chimene ife tikuchiyandikira, chikuyandikiridwa mu chikhaliidwe chimene icho chikuyandikiridwa? Ndicho chinthu chomvetsa chisoni chotero, chinthu—chi—chinthu chachisoni, kuganiza kuti—kuti akalulu ndi n—nthano yotchedwa “Kriss Kringle” (Santa Claus) ndi chirichonse, zatengera kutali tanthauzo lenileni la chimene Khrisimasi ili.

¹⁴ Tsopano, ife siti...ife—ife sitikudziwa, ndipo ine ndithudi sindimakhulupirira...Ine ndimangobwera kuno, mkazi wanga ali kumbuyo uko, ndi ine...tikubwera pa msewu, ndimamvetsera nkasidi; kuti tsopano, iwo angogwera pa lingaliro limene nkasidi anandiuba ine zaka, zambiri zapitazo, pamene ine ndinali wolondera zinyama chabe kuno mu Indiana. Pamene iwo anandiuba ine kuti...mmene nyenyezi izo zinabwerera pamodzi, chimodzimodzi monga nkasidi woyamba uja anachitira ndipo izo zinadzapanga, chimene iwo anati chingakhale chinthu chachirengedwe chimene chimachitika zirizonse, ine ndikukhulupirira iye anatero usikuuno, zaka eyiti handiredi, kapena chinachake chonga icho. Ndipo izo zimadzadziumbanso zokha kenanso, za: Sargas ndi Jupiter, ndipo ine ndaiwala; ndi Mart...Mars; ayi, ine...uko nkulakwitsa. Izo ndi zina za nyenyezi mmene izo zimathamangira pamene zikuwoloka modutsa mwawo mu mzere wa dziko lapansi, ndipo nkasidi uyu usikuuno amayesera kunena kuti icho makamaka chinali chinthu chachirengedwe. Ine—ine sindi—Ine sindikuvomereza zimenezo. Ine ndikukhulupirira icho chinali chinthu chauzimu, chimene Mulungu anachita. Iye, zinthuzo ndi zauzimu ndi Mulungu. Iye ndi Wauzimu.

¹⁵ Ndipo—ndipo ine ndinayang'ana mmusi ndipo ndinadziwa kuti izi zikuyang'anizana mmbuyo tsopano ku Epulo, ine ndiri...Ambuye akandilola kuti ine ndidzakhale moyo kufikira nthawi imeneyo, ine ndidzakhala usinkhu wa zaka fifite-faivi. Mukuona? Ndipo ine—ine ndikudziwa chi...Koma kuyang'ana mmbuyo pa moyo wanga, ndipo ine ndikudabwa

komwe izo zinachitikira. Kuchokera ku ma Khrisimasi aang'ono oyambirira aja, pamene ife tinkapachika masokosi athu, ndipo Amayi amatenga... Ife mwinamwake timatenga lalanje, ndi zidutswa zazing'ono ziwiri kapena zitatu za suwiti zamilozo, ndipo iyo imakhala Khrisimasi yopambana kwa ife. Koma, inu mukudziwa, ana iwo—iwo amayembekezera mphatso zimenezo. Ife—ife tikupeza kuti—kuti Khrisimasi ndi ya... kwenikweni ikukhala ya ana, iwo—iwo amayembekezera zimenezo masiku ano. Izo—izo zatembenukira kwa ana. Koma iyo kwenikweni iyenera kukhala ya akuluakulu; iyo iyenera kukhala kuwaphunzitsa ana amenewo chimene Khrisimasi yeniyeni ili.

¹⁶ Ndipo ine kwathunthu sindimakhulupirira kuti—kuti Khristu angabadwe pa tsiku la twente-faivi wa Disembara, mu Yudeya, chifukwa uko kumakhala kozizira kuposa mmene kuliri kuno tsopano. Mukuona? O, ndipo zikanatheka bwanji kuti abusa aziweta nkhosa zawo usiku? Ndipo—ndiyeno zamisonkho ndi chirichonse, ndi Maria kuchita kubwera ulendo wonsewo, kuchokera kumusi mu Betelehemu kukwera mpaka ku Yudea, mpaka ku Yerusalem, kani, ku... kudzachita zamsonkho. I—i—ine ndimalephera ku—ku—kukhulupirira zimenezo. Kubwera, ine ndikukhulupirira iye anabwera ku Nazareti, ndipo koteru pamene... Mmene izo—izo zikanachitidwira. Izo sizinatero—sizinachitike, koma ine ndimakhulupirira kuti Khristu anabadwa mu nyengo yophukira, chifukwa mwa njira iliyonse Iye anali Mwanawankhosa. Mukuona? Inu mukuona, Iye anabadwira mu khola, ndipo osati mnyumba?

¹⁷ Ndipo pamene iwo anamutengera Iye ku mtanda (enawo), monga mmene ife tikudziwira, kuti iye sananenepo zakuti Iye adzawatsogolera iwo, koma iwo anamutsogolera Iye. Kodi inu mumadziwa kuti mwanawankhosa kapena nkhosa imayenera kutsogoleredwa kupita kokaphedwa? Iyo—iyo siimapita kokaphedwa, inu—inu mumayenera kuti muitsogolere iyo kumeneko. Ndipo kawirikawiri ndi mbuzi imene imatsogolera nkhosa. Mu—mu makhola ophera, iwo amakhala ndi mbuzi. Ndipo mbuziyo imayenda chokwera nkanjira aka, mpaka iyo itafika poipangitsa nkhosa kuti iyambe kuyenda kumatsika kanjirako kuti ikaphedwe, ndipo ikatero mbuziyo imalumphira panja. Koma pamene ifika nthawi yoti akukapha mbuzi, iyo imamenya matheche mwaphokoso (iyo iyenera kuti ilowe) koma, zoona, inu simungaiyimbe mlandu iyo. Koma—koma ndicho—chinthu chakuti nkhosa iyenera kutsogozedwa, ndipo Iye anatsogozedwa kupita kokaphedwa. Iwo anamutsogolera Iye. Iye anali Mwanawankhosa. Ndipo ine ndikukhulupirira mwanjira imeneyo ndi mmene zimakhalira ndi chirengedwe chonse, ndipo anaankhosa amabadwa mu Marichi, Epulo, ndi penapake moyandikira kumeneko, osati kudutsa Meyi. Ndipo ine sindikukhulupirira kuti chinali chinachake asanafike

Marichi ndi chirichonse kudutsa Meyi, nthawi inayake moyandikira kumeneko.

¹⁸ Koma pamene mpingo, Chikhristu, chinakwatsidwa kwa Chiroma, zinachitikira ku Nicaea Council, pamene iwo anavomereza... fuko la Chiroma linavomereza Chikhristu ndipo linadzapanga chomwe iwo anachitcha chipembedzo cha dziko lonse, chinali Chikhristu. Iwo anapanga chipembedzo cha dziko lonse, ndipo iwo amapembedza mafano, ndipo iwo anali ndi mulungu wa dzuwa.

¹⁹ Ndipo pakali pano, kuyambira—kuyambira pa twente-wani mpaka pa twente-faivi, dzuwa pafupifupi limaima mu kanjira kake komweko podutsa. Kodi ndi chiyani chimene mumachitcha icho? Yakhala ili...ine ndimaganiza ine ndimadziwa izo, koma ine ndikulephera kuchiganizira icho. Pamene dzuwa liri—liri...ilo—ilo limapeza nthawi yochuluka kwambiri ndipo limataya nthawi yochuluka kwambiri, mpaka pa twente-wani, pakati pa twente-wani ndi twente-faivi wa Disembara. O, ine ndaiwala chomwe iwo amachitcha icho. Chiyan? [Winawake mwa osonkhana akuti “Kadansana”?—Mkonzi.] Ayi, kadansana ndi pamene izo zidutsana, dzuwa ndi mwezi zidutsana. Ndi chinachake mmenemo, o, ine—ine—ine ndikutsala pang’ono kuti nditchule koma ndikulephera pakali pano. Komabe, ndikuima njoo kwa dzuwa kuja kumene kumatchedwa ndi Aroma (ndi pamene chikondwerero chimachitika), izo zinkatchedwa *tsiku lobadwa la mulungu wa dzuwa*. Iwo ankakondwerera izo kuchokera pa twente-wani mpaka pa twente-faivi Disembara.

²⁰ Kotero ndiye, pokhala kuti izo zinasinthidwa, Roma kukhala... Chikhristu chinavomerezewa, mwanjira yawo ya ku Roma, kenako iwo anati, “Ife tidzipanga chikondwerero chomwecho, ndipo tidzipanga *tsiku lobadwa la Mwana wa Mulungu*.” Mukuona? Mulungu wa dzuwa, tsiku lobadwa la Jupiter, kenako tsiku lobadwa la Mwana wa Mulungu, twente-faivi wa Disembara, ndipo izo... .

²¹ Koma kodi izo zikupanga kusiyana kotani? Mwaona, lero pamene ife tiri... Ngakhale ngati izo...ngati iwo akanamachita izo mu Julayi kapena Ogasiti, kapena paliponse pamene izo zingakhale, iko kungakhalebe kupatulika kokumbukira kuti “Mulungu anatipatsa ife chiyembékezo chimene ife tiri nacho mwa ife.”

²² Ndipo tsopano, inu mukuti, “Chabwino, zonse za izo ndi Santa Claus ndipo zikumapitirira monga iwo amachitira; bwanji, ife tikhaza kungochita izo.” Ayi, bwana! Ayi, ichi si chikondwerero cha chikunja kwa ife, ili ndi ora lopatulika. Ngati pakanakhala kuti kunalibe Khrisimasi, sikukanadzakhala chiukitsiro. Ngati kukanakhala kopanda Khrisimasi: sikukanadzakhala chikondi, sikukanadzakhala

mtendere, sikukanadzakhala tsogolo kwa wokhulupirira; ngati kukanakhala kopanda Khrisimasi.

²³ Ndipo tsopano, inu mukuti, “Chabwino, ngati dziko lonse, iwo basi...” Chabwino, taonani, mphendi ya mphanda mu mlengalenga mwakuda, mwa mitambo, zimasonyeza kuti pakhoza kukhala kuwala mu nthawi ya mdima. Kuwala uku usikuuno kukutsimikizira kuti, kuti pakhoza kukhala kuwala mu nthawi ya mdima. Ndipo kodi ndi nthawi yanji imene kuwala kumawala mopambana? Mu mdima. Inu mukayatsa nyali izi masana, duwu likuwala, inu simudzatha konse kuzindikira kuti izo zayatsidwa. Koma kuwala kwakung’ono kokha, kumawala kwambiri mu nthawi ya mdima. Ndipo pakali pano kuli mdima pamene Mkhristu aliyense akuyenera kupereka umboni wa chiyembekezo chomwe chiru mwa iye, cha Yesu Khristu Mwana wa Mulungu; osati Kriss Kringle wina amene anabadwa kumbuyo uko, inu mukudziwa, ndi mtundu wina wa mtengo utayatsidwa ndi kumadutsa mnkhalango usiku wina, nkhanzi zina zopeka zomwe ziribe maziko kwa izo. Koma ife timakhulupirira mokhazikika pa Mawu olonjezedwa a Mulungu a Mesiya wakudza, ndipo Iye anabadwa pa tsiku la Khrisimasi, twenty...pafupifupi zaka thuu sauzande zapitazo, ife tikukhulupirira.

²⁴ Chotero, usikuuno ife tiyankhulapo pang’ono mwa njira yosiyana. Ine ndikuganiza abusa anu anayankhulapo kale, ndipo mwinamwake adzayankhulanso Lachitatu usiku kenanso chifukwa ine—ine ndikudziwa iwo asungira mutu wina kapena chinachake, kuti andipatse ine guwa ili usikuuno. Ndipo ine ndikufuna kuti iye adzabweretse izo, ine ndikufuna ndidzamumvetsero iye.

Koma, basi ife tsopano tisanachite izi, tiyenzi tingoweramitsa mitu yathu kamodzinso kwa mphindi ya pemphero:

²⁵ Atate Akumwamba, mphindi yopambana yopatulika iyi, pamene ife tikuganiza za zinthu zosiyana mu Lemba apa, kuti kulikonsen kumene ife tingapite, kumbuyo mu Chipangano Chakale, zikuyankhula za tsiku lijali limene Mulungu adzatumize Mwana Wake. Mmene aneneri awo kumbuyo uko ankaperekera nthawi yawo kwa ulosi wa Mawu a Mulungu amene amabwera kwa iwo. Ndipo iwo amalosera mmasiku awo ndipo amaneneratu zinthu zomwe zikanadzachitika, ndipo ife tikuwona zonsezoo zinakakumana uko mu Betelehemu usiku uja pamene Mulungu analikonda kwambiri dziko mwakuti Iye anaperekwa Mwana Wake wokondedwa yekhayo. Ife tikukuthokozani Inu chifukwa cha izi.

²⁶ Ndipo tsopano, Ambuye, usikuuno pamene ife tikukhazikika apa kuti—kuti tiyankhule pa Mawu Anu; ndipo Iwo ndi opatulika kwambiri, Ambuye, icho ndi chifukwa chake ife timakonda kuyankhula ndi Inu poyamba. Ndipo ife tikupempha

kuti Inu mutsegule kumvetsetsa kwathu ku Mawu Anu. Mu Dzina la Yesu ife tikupempha izi. Ameni.

²⁷ Tsopano ine ndikufuna kuti ndiwerenge Lemba lina apa, basi nkhanzi yodziwika ya Khrisimasi, pa Lemba lopezeka mu—mu Mateyu, mutu wa 2. Ndipo pamene inu mukutsegula kwa iwo, ndi Yohane 3:16.

²⁸ Ndipo usiku wina uko ku Phoenix... Ngati inu anthu a tepi kuno, mukumvetsera ku matepi, ine ndikufuna kuti inu mumvetsere kwa ijayi: *Chifukwa Chiyani Yesu Anabwera Ku Betelehemu*. Chifukwa chiyani Iye ankayenera kuti achite izo? Ndi ziphiphiritszo izo za Davide kumeneko, atagona ndipo—ndipo akudikirira pa phiri, akuyang'ana pansi ndipo anawona gulu la nkondo la Afilisiti litazinga. Ndipo ine ndinafanizira izo ndendende ndi lero, ndipo ndinadzapeza kuti Betelehemu... chimene iye amatanthauza.

²⁹ Ndipo Khristu ndiye Betelehemu wathu, ndipo ndikhoza kutsimikizira kuti munthu aliyense wobadwa mwa Mulungu ndi wobadwira ku Betelehemu, chifukwa Khristu ndi Betelehemu. Ndipo ndicho chimene Iye anali, *Mkate wa Moyo*. Ndipo Beth, B-e-t-h amatanthauza—amatanthauza “nyumba,” *E-l* ndi “Mulungu,” ndipo e-l-h-e-m ndi *Elhem* zimene zimatanthauza “mkate,” ndi “Nyumba ya Mkate wa Mulungu.” Ndipo Yesu Khristu anali “Nyumba ya Mkate wa Mulungu,” Mkate wa Moyo Wamuyaya. Ndipo munthu aliyense wobadwira mwa Khristu, inu munabadwira mu *Betelehemu*, “Nyumba ya Mkate wa Mulungu.” Ndipo mmene magulu amipingo iyi lero adzimangira linga, ngati Afilisiti, kuwaletsa anthu kuti atalikire kwa Iyo.

³⁰ Ndipo ndi mmene amuna ochirimika aja, podziwa kuti Davide anali wodzodzedwa ndipo anali woti adzakhala mfumu tsiku lina... wosatchuka kwambiri nthawi imeneyo, chifukwa iye anali wothawathawa pakati pa anthu ake, koma tsiku lina kuitanidwa kwake kunabwera. Iwo anali ndi amuna ochirimika limodzi naye. Ndipo kumbukirani, amuna amenewo anali Amitundu, pafupifupi mmodzi aliyense wa iwo anali Amitundu, choimira chokongola kwambiri cha lero. Ndipo munthu mmodzi anali wochirimika kwambiri, iye anapha amuna eyiti handiredi ndi chiyani... ndi nthungo yake, yekha yekha, mu tsiku limodzi. Wina anali kuima mmunda wa nseula, ndipo ankhondo anabwera, gulu. Ndipo onse a iwo anathawa, ndipo iye anaima pamene po ndipo anapha amuna mpaka manja ake anatopa. Ndiyeno wina, mmene iye analumphira mdzenje ndi kupha mkango pa tsiku la chisanu, dzanja limodzi. Ndipo Mfilis... kapena wachi Igupto anamuthamangira iye, ali ndi nthungo yaitali, ndipo iye anatenga ndodo ndipo anaigwetsa nthungo iyi kuchokera mdzanja lake, anatenga nthungoyi ndipo anamupha nayo wachi Iguptoyo yekhayekha, ndipo anapha akapitawo firii handiredi.

³¹ Ndipo anawapatsa amuna amphamu! Davide akufuula, “Ngati ine ndikanamwa kenango, mwaona, kuchokera ku chitsime chija!” (kumene iye ankakonda kumwetsera nkhosa zake iye akapitako mmawa, kuchokera ku khola, izo zikafuna kumwa madzi) Ndipo amuna awa anasolola malupanga awo ndipo anamenyera kudutsa mamailosi fiftini a amuna, anabweretsano madzi awa.

³² Ndipo Davide anati, “Zikhale kutali, kuti ine ndimwe iwo” Ndipo iye anawatsanulira iwo pa nthaka ngati nsembe ya madzi akumwa kwa Ambuye. Ndi choimira chokongola bwanji cha chinthusu chomwecho, cha Yohane 3:16 uyu, usikuuno.

...*Mulungu analikonda kwambiri dziko lapansi,
kotero kuti Iye anapereka Mwana Wake yekhayo,*...

³³ Ndipo kodi Khristu anachita chiyani? Moyo umene Iye ankayenera kuti adzakhale nawo Mwamuyaya, Iye anautsanulira iwo pa nthaka kuchokera mmitsempa Yake, moyo Wake wachibadwa, pa nthaka ngati nsembe ya tchimo kwa ife. Ndipo mmene Amitundu lero, amuna olemekezeka, amuna, amuna otchuka, akutenga lupanga, ndipo akuima kumeneko ndipo akudula njira yawo kuti akantungire madzi abwino Khristu (Davide wathu), chimene chiriri chosatchuka lero. Koma Davide wathu, amene ife tikudziwa kuti Iye akubwera mu mphamu, Iye adzapondera fuko lirilonse pansi pa mapazi Ake monga choncho, ndipo adzawalamulira iwo ndi ndodo ya chitsulo. Ndipo amuna enieni ochirimika, oima ndi Mawu a Mulungu ndipo akudula mbali ndi mbali opanda mantha, chifukwa ife tikudziwa Iye akubwera mu mphamu.

³⁴ Tiyeni tiwerenge tsopano, titamaliza Yohane 3:16; tiyeni tiwerenge kudzacheza kwa—kwa Amagi a Mateyu Woyera, mutu wa 2.

*Tsopano pamene Yesu anabadwa mu Betelehemu wa
Yudeya mmasiku a Herodi mfumu, taonani, kunabwera
amuna anzeru ochokera ku—ochokera ku mmawa
akupita ku Yerusalem,*

*Akuti, Ali kuti iye amene wabadwa ali Mfumu ya
Ayuda? pakuti ife taiwona nyenyezi yake kummawa,
ndipo tabwera kuti tidzampembedze iye.*

*Pamene Herodi mfumu... anamva zinthu izi, iye
anavutitsidwa, ndi Yerusalem yense naye.*

*Ndipo pamene iye anasonkhanitsa... ansembe aakulu
ndi alembi a anthu pamodzi, iye anafunsa kwa iwo
komwe Khristu amati abadwire.*

*Ndipo iwo anati kwa iye, Ku Betelehemu wa Yudeya:
pakuti icho chinalembedwa ndi mneneri,*

*Ndipo iwe Betelehemu, mu dziko la Yudeya, kodi
iwe siwochepa pakati pa akalonga a Yuda:... muwa iwe*

mudzabwera Kazembe, amene adzawalamulire anthu anga Israeli.

...Herodi, pamene iye mwachinsinsi anaitana anzeru, nkuwafunsa iwo mwachangu nthawi yomwe nyenyezi inawoneka.

Ndipo iye anawatumiza iwo ku Betelehemu, ndi kuti, Pitani ndipo kafufuzeni mosamalitsa mwana wamng'onoyo; ndipo pamene inu mukampeza iye, mundibweretsere ine mawu, kuti ine ndikhoze kubwera ndi kudzampembedza iye inenso.

Pamene iwo...anamumva mfumu, iwo anachokapo; ndipo, taonani, nyenyezi, imene iwo anayiwona ku mmaawa, inapita patsogolo pawo, mpaka iyo inabwera ndi kudzaima pamene mwana wamng'onoyo anali.

Ndipo pamene iwo anaiwona nyenyeziyo, iwo anasangalala ndi chimwemwe chachikulu chopitirira.

Ndipo pamene iwo analowa mnyumba, iwo anawona mwana wamng'onoyo ndi Maria mayi ake, ndipo anagwa pansi, ndi kumupembedza iye: ndipo...iwo anatsegula chuma chawo, iwo anaperekwa kwa iye mphatso; golide,...lubano, ndi mure.

Ndipo pochenjezedwa ndi Mulungu mu loto kuti iwo asachoke...iwo asabwerere kwa Herodi, iwo ananyamuka kupita ku dziko lawo podzera njira ina.

³⁵ Zachilendo kwambiri apa mmene Mulungu, mwanjira yotsikirapo,...Mulungu amayankhula ndi anthu kudzera mmaloto. Ine ndikukhulupirira zimenezo. Koma momwe kuti Mulungu mu nkhanzi iyi anagwiritsira ntchito chachiwiri.

³⁶ Tsopano, loto ndi...loto, ngati ilo litanthauziridwa molondola, ilo limakhala chimodzimodzi ngati masomphenya; ngati ilo liri loto ndipo latanthauziridwa. Mulungu wakhala akugwiritsa ntchito iwo kuchokera mmbuyo mu Chipangano Chakale ndi kutsika kumadutsa mibadwo, ndipo analonjeza mmasiku otsiriza kuti adzagwiritsanso ntchito iwo kamodzinso. Tsopano, anthu akhoza kudya mowonjeza ndi—ndi zina zotero ndi kukhala ndi zizimbwizimbwi, ndipo izo nkusakhala—izo nkusakhala zenizeni, maloto auzimu, izo sizikhala ndi tanthauzo pamene iwe—pamene iwe uwerenga izo. Ndipo ena a iwo akhoza kuwoneka olondola, komabe alipo enieni, maloto auzimu. Ndipo ife tikudziwa apa ku kachisi kuti Mulungu amawapatsa anthu maloto ndipo iwo amatanthauziridwa, ndipo iwo amadzachitika, ndipo iwo amakhala enieni. Koma iyo ndi njira yachiwiri yochitira izo. Mukuona?

³⁷ Tsopano, chifukwa chimene izo zinkachitika nthawi imeneyo, chinali chifukwa chakuti uko kunalibe m'neneri mu dzikolo pa nthawi imeneyo, woti azitanthauzira maloto.

Mukuona? Kunalibe mneneri woti azitanthauzira maloto, monga Yosefe ndi—ndi Daniele ndi aneneri akale aja. Iwo sanakhale naye mneneri kwa zaka foro handiredi, ndipo Mulungu anagwiritsa ntchito maloto kuti...kwa ubwino wa Mwana Wake Yemwe. Iye anatero.

³⁸ Iye anamuua Yosefe, pamene iye anali “munthu wolungama, posafuna kumuchittsa iye manyazi pagulu, amasinkhasinkha zoti amusiye iye mwamseri.” Mosakaika iye anamuua iye za kubwera kwa Gabriele ndi zina zotero, ndi chimene iye anali atanena; koma pamene iye anamuwona iye kuti akhala mayi, icho—icho chinali chosazolowereka. Inu mukudziwa, icho basi...icho chinali chinachake chosiyana kwambiri. Ndipo inu mukudziwa, ilo ndi limene liri vuto lero. Mulungu amachita zinthu mosazolowereka, ndipo izo zimakhala zosazolowereka kwambiri mpaka munthu wolungama amalephera kuziwona izo.

³⁹ Yosefe sanathe kudzimvetsa izo, izo zinali zosazolowereka kwambiri. Iye anali munthu wabwino, panalibe cholakwika ndi iye. Iye anali munthu wabwino, munthu wolungama, koma izo zinali zosazolowereka kwambiri. Mwaona, Yosefe mwinamwake usinkhu wa zaka forte zakubadwa kapena forte-faivi, chinachake chonga zimenezo, iwo amatero, pamene iye ndi Maria anatomerana. Koma apa ife tikupeza chinachake chimene chinali chisanachitikepo nkomwe: mkazi atatomerewa ndi mwamuna uyu ndipo komabe nkudzapezekwa kuti akhala mayi! Ndipo izo zinali zosazolowereka kwambiri Yosefe amasinkhasinkha kuti amusiye iye. Koma pa mphindi yovuta yomwego, Mulungu anatumiza M’ngelo Wake, ndipo anadzawonekera kwa iye mu loto ndipo anati, “Usawope kudzitengera wekha Maria mkazi wako, pakuti Icho chomwe chiri mwa iye ndi cha Mzimu Woyerwa.”

⁴⁰ Ndi chikhulupiro chobadwa mwatsopano bwanji chimene Yosefe ayenera kuti anali nacho pamene iye anadzuka pamene! Mwaona, iye sanasowe kutanthauzira kulikonse, lotolo silinali mophiphiritsa. Ilo linangokhala molunjika, “Usawope kumutenga Maria mkazi wako, pakuti Icho chimene chiri mwa iye ndi cha Mzimu Woyerwa.” Uko kunalibe mneneri woti apereke kutanthauzira, chotero iwo amayenera kubwera molunjika, molunjika basi monga choncho; kwa Mulungu... kuchokera kwa Mulungu kupita kwa Yosefe. Tsopano...ndipo Mulungu anatenga njira yachiwiri iyo.

⁴¹ Kodi izo zikutiphunzitsa chiyani ife pomwe pano, ife tisanakhudze mutu wathu? Ndi ichi chimene izo zikutiphunzitsa ife: kuti Mulungu akhoza kugwiritsa ntchito gawo lirlonse la thupi lathu ngati liri lodziperek—a...logonjera kwa Iye. Iye akhoza kugwiritsa ntchito malingaliro athu, maloto athu, chikumbumtima chathu, kuzindikira kwathu koyamba, lirime lathu, nyimbo zathu, maso athu, zathu...Chirichonse

chimene ife tiri nacho chikhoza kugwiritsidwa ntchito ndi Mulungu ngati icho chitaperekedwa kwa Mulungu. Mukuona? Chirichonse chomwe inu muli, muchipereke icho kwa Mulungu. Iye adzagwiritsa ntchito mpita uliwonse ndi gawo lirilonse la inu, Iye adzaligwiritsa ntchito ilo. Ziribe kanthu kuti ndi chiyani, Iye adzagwiritsa ntchito izo ngati ziri zoyeretsedwera kwa cholinga Chake ndi maitanidwe.

⁴² Tsopano, usikuuno ife tiyankhula pa: *Mphatso*. Ndipo ine ndikufuna kuwutcha mutu wake, ngati... Ine ndinalemba, ndinalemba chinachake pansi apo, pamene M'bale Neville anali pamwamba: *Mphatso Za Mulungu Nthawizonse Zimapeza...* *Mphatso Za Mulungu Nthawizonse Zimapeza Malo Ake*. *Mphatso za Mulungu nthawizonse zimakanidwa*, koma izo kwenikweni zimapeza malo ake pamene...

⁴³ Tsopano, penyani mphatso imene amuna anzeru awa anagula... kapena anabweretsa kwa Iye. Lero ife tikupeza kuti ife timasinhanitsana mphatso. Aliyense amayenera kulandira mphatso, ndipo amakhala akusinkhasinkha chomwe mzake winayo ati amupatse iye, kuti iye angamupatse iye chinachake chofanana ndi chimenecho. Ndipo ngati sizimenezo, chabwino, pa tsiku la Chaka Chatsopano, iye amamverera kuti ayenera kukwaniritsa izo. Ndipo aliyense amakhala akuwerenga ndi kumadandaula ndi kumayenda pansi, zikhwaya za mamilioni, mmene ati achitire. Iwo apereka zochuluka motere kwa *uyu* ndi *uyo*, pamene izo—izo pamodzi ndi zolakwika. I—ndizo—ndizo—ndizo zonsezo... Khrisimasi...

⁴⁴ Apa: pali mphatso imodzi yokha imene inu mungapereke, ndipo imeneyo ndi inueni. Dziperekeni nokha kwa Mulungu chifukwa Mulungu anapereka kale kwa inu *Mphatso Yake*. Tsopano, pali chinthu chokhacho chimene inu mumam'bwezera Mulungu, ndicho inueni kwa Iye.

⁴⁵ Tsopano, ndipo nthawi zambiri, *maina* amapezeka mu Baibulo. Ife sitikumazindikiranso izo nkomwe, lero. Ife... Inu mwandimvapo ine kawirikawiri ndikunyogodola dzina ili, la ana otchulidwa... kapena anthu kumatcha ana awo “Ricky.” Tsopano, *Ricky* ndi dzina loipa! Mukuona? Ndipo ilo ndi... inu musati mudziwatchula iwo limenelo. Ngati inu muli ndi mwana dzina lake Ricky, chifukwa cha ubwino, mulisinthe ilo likhale chinachake. *Ricky*, kapena—kapena *Elvis*, kapena chinachake monga choncho... *Ricky* amatanthauza “khoswe.” Mukuona? Ndipo kotero inu—inu mumapita... Ndipo—ndipo chomwe inu mumamutchu munthu, icho chimapanga zimenezo. Dona wamng’ono, tsiku lina, anali ndi mnyamata wamng’ono kunja uko wotchedwa “Ricky” ndipo dzina lake ndi Ricky, James Ricky. Ndipo chifukwa ilo linali lotchuka kwambiri (*Ricky*), iwo anamutcha iye “Ricky.” Ine ndinati, “Musinthe dzina limenelo!”

⁴⁶ Ine ndikudziwa anthu ena akhala pano tsopano amene ali ndi chidzukulu chachimuna chaching'ono, ndipo dzina lake ndi...mmodzi—mnyamata wamng'ono mmodzi wokoma, mnyamata wamng'ono wosangalatsa; ndipo winayo ndi Ricky, ndipo icho ndi chimene iye ali. Inu mungomuyang'ana iye, khalidwe lake monga choncho. Ndipo iye...Ine ndinanena kwa ena a makolo ake achigogo, kapena winawake, ine ndinati, “Muwauze amake asinthe dzina la mnyamata ameneyo, tangolisinthani dzina limenelo ndipo muwone zomwe zitachitike kwa mwanayo.” Mwaona, anthu inu simukufuna kuti mukhulupirire zimenezo. Ife timaganiza kuti takhala nalo nthawi yaitali ilo.

⁴⁷ Ngati simumakhala chinachake mu dzina, ndiyе bwanji nthawi yaitali Yakobo ankatchedwa *Yakobo*, chimene chimatanthauza “wolanda, wonyenga,” ndicho chimene iye anali? Koma pamene iye analimbana ndi Ambuye usiku wonse, ndipo Ambuye anamusintha dzina lake, ndipo pafupifupi... pamene iye anali pafupifupi usinkhu wa zaka sikisite. Iye anasinha dzina lake kuchoka—kuchoka—kuchoka kwa Yakobo kukakhala *Israeli*, “kalonga pamaso pa Mulungu,” ndipo ndicho chimene iye anali.

Chifukwa chiyani Abram anadzatchedwa...ankayenera kuti atchedwe “Abraham” mwanayo asanabadwe? Chifukwa chiyani Sarai anadzatchedwa “Sarah” mwanayo asanabadwe?

Chifukwa chiyani Paulo...kapena ankatchedwa...dzina lake linali Saulo, koma pamene iye anakumana ndi Yesu, Iye anamusintha iye kuchoka kwa Saulo kukakhala “Paulo.”

Pamene Simoni anasinthidwa kuchoka kwa Simoni kukakhala *Petro*, chimene chimatanthauza “kamwala kakang’ono.” Ndipo—ndipo maina awo onse anasinthidwa, ndi chifukwa chakuti chimene iwe umatchedwa ndi chinachake chokhudza icho. Pamene iwe uyankhula chinachake, icho chimadzidzindikiritsa chokha. Ine sindikufuna kuti ndilowle mu zimenezo, chifukwa zimenezo zikubwera Lamlungu likubwerali usiku, mwaona, kuzindikiritsidwa kwa mawu. Ndipo, koma tsopano, ife tikupeza kuti zinthu izi ndi zoona kwambiri.

⁴⁸ Tsopano penyani, Mulungu...Ndi chinthu chachirendo bwanji usikuuno, kuwona kuti amuna awo, Amagi, amuna ophunzira, amuna otchuka...akubwera chotsika kuchokera Kummawa, uko kunali ku Babeloni, kumene kunali ku India. Ndipo iwo sanabwere mu kuyenda kwa usiku wonse, ndiko kunyamuka usiku umodzi ndi kudzafika kumeneko wotsatira, iwo zinawatengera pafupifupi zaka ziwiri kukafika kumeneko. Iwo sanabwere kwa Khanda laling'ono modyetsera. Iwo anabwere kwa Mwana wamng'ono, Mwana wamng'ono. Ndipo Herodi amapha ana oyambira usinkhu wa zaka ziwiri. Mwaona, podziwa kuti sanali khanda laling'ono litagona

mchikuku, iye akanangopha makanda onse. Koma iye amapha ana aang'ono, ndi cholinga chakuti akhale wotsimikiza kuti amupeza Iye, paliponse kuyambira usinkhu wa zaka ziwiri kumabwelera mmbuyo. Iye ankhazikitsa nthawi chifukwa pozindikira kuti iye samafuna kupha ambiri, onse a iwo, iye basi... chifukwa iwo anali ngati akapolo kwa iye. Iye ankafuna kuti amupeze... akhale wotsimikiza kuti amupeza Iye, koteri iye anati, "Mwanayo adzakhala pafupifupi usinkhu wa zaka ziwiri. Kotero, chirichonse kuyambira usinkhu wa zaka ziwiri kupita mmusi, muphe iye." Mukuona?

Ndipo izo zinakwaniritsa chimene mneneri ananena, kuti "Mu—mu Rama mudzamveka ku—kukuwa kapena kufuula, kulira; kulira kwa Rachelo kuja kulilira ana ake, ndipo iwo kunalibeko."

⁴⁹ Tsopano, kodi inu munazindikira kuti amuna anzeru awa, amuna otchuka, anali uko ku Babeloni ndipo iwo anawona Nyenyezi Yake, ife tinati, "Ife taiwona Nyenyezi Yake kummawa ndipo tabwera kuti tidzampembedze Iye." Iwo anabwera kuchokera kummawa, kumene iwo anaiwona Nyenyezi, amapita kumadzulo. Chifukwa India ndi kumadzulo, kumpoto chakumadzulo kwa Babe... kwa—kwa Palestina. Ndipo iwo anabwera chotsika ndi Mtsinje wa Tigris ndipo anadzawoloka zigwa kumeneko, anatsikira mpaka mu Betelehemu kumene iwo anakamupeza mwa—mwa—Mwanayo. Ndipo kumbukirani Yosefe ndi iwo sanachokeko uko; iwo anapita mpaka ku Nazareti ndipo anakamubweretsa Mwanayo, mpaka kumeneko.

⁵⁰ Tsopano, ife tikuwona apa kuti iwo anapereka... Amuna awa, pokhala akasidi ndipo amawerenga nyenyezi, ndipo powona zowunikira zodabwitsa za kumwamba izi zikuwonekera mmwamba umo, kuti panali chinachake chinali kuchitika; kuti iwo anadziwa kuti ameneyo ndi Mesiya, wo—Wolamulira wa miyamba ndi dziko lapansi, anali woti abadwa. Ndipo iwo anabwera, akudziwa kuti Umulungu udzakutidwa, udzaikidwa mkat—mwamunthu; ndithudi kuti akuwonetseni inu umboni wawo... Inu mukudziwa, inu mukudziwa, moyo wako umayankhula mofuula kwambiri kuposa mawu ako, kufikira kuti ziribe kanthu chimene iwe ukunena, anthu amadziwa chimene iwe uli pa—pa chimene iwe uli.

⁵¹ Ndipo tawaonani anthu awa, Amagi awa, iwo anamubweretsera Iye... Onani mphatso zomwe iwo anamubweretsera Iye, zinazindikiritsa chimene iwo ankaganiza kuti Iye anali. Iwo anamubweretsera Iye golide, lubano, ndi mure. Ndipo tsopano penyani chimene zophiphiritsa izi, zimene ine ndikufuna kuyankhula ndi inu tsopano... ndi chimene zophiphiritsa izi zimatanthauza. Tsopano, ine ndiri ndi Lemba lina ndalembe apa limene titi tiwerenge mu kamphindi pa izo, Ambuye akalola.

Tsopano: golide, ndi lubano, ndi mure.

⁵² Tsopano: golide mu Baibulo... zikukwanirana bwino bwanji kwa Khristu, chifukwa golide amayankhula za Umulungu. *Glide* ndi “Umulungu.” Ife tifika kwa izo mkamphindi chabe. *Lubano* amayankhula za “*kutumikira*.” Ndipo *mure* ndi “imfa.” *Mulungu, Umulungu, kutumikira kuti afe.* Ndipo ndicho chimene Iye anali. Chinthu chomwecho chomwe iwo anabweretsa chinazindikiritsa chimene iwo ankaganiza Iye anali.

⁵³ Ndipo ine ndikunena izo kwa ife lero, “Zinthu zimene ife timabweretsa kwa Iye zimazindikiritsa chimene malingaliro athu ali za Iye.” Inu mukumvetsa chimene ine ndikutanthauza? Mukuona? Ngati ndinu... Ngati inu mukukhulupirira Izo ndi mtima wanu wonse, Mawu aliwonse a chimenecho, inu mudzachizindikira icho popereka zonse zimene inu muli nazo kwa Ich. Mukuona? Koma ngati inu mukukhulupirira kuti iwo ndi malo abwino kuti myayanjane ndi anthu abwino, pa tchalitchi ndi zinthu monga choncho, izo ndi basi zimene inu mumapereka (basi maora ochepta ndi ena a osonkhana kapena chinachake). Koma ngati inu—ngati inu mukukhulupiriradi Izo ndi mtima wanu wonse, ndiyе inu mupereka chirichonse chiriri mwa inu kwa Izo. Mukuona? Ndipo icho chimakuzindikiritsani inu, kuti inu mumakhulupirira Uthenga moonadi, kuti inu mumawukhulupirira iwo kukhala Choonadi.

⁵⁴ Anthu ambiri amati, “Ine ndikhoza kukhulupirira mochuluka *chotere*. Ine ndikhoza kukhulupirira *motero*.” Ophunzira... Ine ndikukhulupirira nthawi yomalizira kuno, ine ndinayankhula pa zimenezo: *Okhulupirira, Odzipangitsa-Kukhulupirira, Ndi Osakhulupirira*. Kodi sizinali zimenezo izo? Ine... kodi ine sindinayankhule pa zimenezo kuno? Mukuona? Ndipo munthu aliyense, onani gulu lawo. Mwaona, izo zidzafika pa malo akuti iwo adzatenga zochuluka za izo, kulephera kutenga zonsezo.

⁵⁵ Tsopano, zinali zogwirizana bwanji mphatso izi kwa ulendo wa Khristu pa dziko lapansi, Mwana wobadwa kuno pa dziko lapansi. Ndi mphatso izi zimene amuna anzeru anamubweretsera Iye, zinangogwirizana ndendende kutuma Kwake kochokera kwa Mulungu ndi ulendo Wake pa dziko lapansi.

⁵⁶ Tsopano, chinthu choyamba: Mulungu. Uyu anali Mulungu, Yesu anali Mulungu mmaonekedwe a munthu. Izo ndi zovuta kuti anthu avomereze zimenezo, ngakhale lero, kuti “Iye anali Mulungu.” Ndipo Iye... Icho ndi chimene Iye anali. Iye sanali chocheperapo kwa Mulungu. Iye anali Mulungu akuwonetedwa mu thupi. Iye anali Mlengi mu chirengedwe Chake Chomwe. Tsopano izo... Iye anali Mlengi mu Chirengedwe Chake, mwa chirengedwe, kwa chirengedwe. Iye anali Mlengi mu chirengedwe Chake, mwa chirengedwe

Chake, kwa chirengedwe Chake. Zonse zikudzathera mwa Mulungu, chinthu chonsecho. Kodi inu simukuona? Chidzalo cha Mulungu! Iye anali Mlengi mochuluka mpaka kuti Iye anali Mulungu. Ndipo Iye anali Munthu pa dziko lapansi (Munthu wa nthawi), zimene zikutanthauza kuti Iye ayenera kuti anali ndi chiyambi, chotero Iye anadzilengera Yekha thupi kuti adzakhalemo. Mulungu, Mwiniwake, anadzilengera Yekha thupi. Mukuona? Kuti mwa chirengedwe ichi, Iye adzathe kupulumutsa chirengedwe chotaika chimene Iye anali atachilenga.

⁵⁷ Palibe chinthu chimene munthu angachithetse kwathunthu, palibepo chinthu chimodzi. Inu simungathe kuchita kanthu kuti muononge kwathunthu chirichonse. Inu mukhoza kutenga chidutswa cha pepala ndi kuchiwootcha icho, inu mukhoza kuiwootcha nyumba, inu mukhoza kuuwotcha mtengo mpaka pansi; inu simunauthetse kwathunthu iwo. Inu...kutentha kuja mkatimo, moto uwo umene umatulukira pamwamba, iwo ndi zimankhwala chabe zikuphulika. Izo zikubwerera ku chimene izo zinali pachiyambi. Izo sizinathetsedwe kwathunthu. Ngati inu muwootcha chidutswa cha nkhuni (ndipo dziko, titi, ngati ife titakhala mu Umuyaya ngati Mulungu, ndipo zimankhwala zija zochokera mu nkhuni izo ndi moto zimabwerera ku chiyambi chake chapachiyambi ndipo izo...chirichonse chimene izo zinali, kusweka kwa maatomu ndi zina zotero, dzi—dziko, titi, zingadzaime kwa mamilioni a zaka), icho chikhoza kudzabwererano molunjika ndi kudzakhala mtengo wina, chimodzimodzi basi monga iwo unali.

⁵⁸ Inu simungathe kuchithetsa kwathunthu chirichonse chifukwa icho ndi Mawu Olankhulidwa a Mulungu. Ameni! O, ndipo izo zimandipangitsa ine kumverera mwachipembedzo, tsopano. Mukuona? Chimene Mulungu ananena, Icho chidzaima kwanthawizonse. Ameni! Mwaona, inu simungathe kuchithetsa kwathunthu. Ife ndi gawo la dziko lino, ndipo ife sittingathe kuthetsedwa kwathunthu. Ayi, bwana. Tchimo (moyo) udzathetsedwa kwathunthu, ife tikuzindikira zimenezo. Koma thu—thupi limene ife tikukhalamo, silingathe kuthetsedwa kwathunthu. Mukuona?

⁵⁹ Tsopano, chotero, Mulungu anadzilengera Yekha thupi. Iye anali Mlengi, ndipo analenga chirengedwe Chake Chomwe, kuti ndi Chirengedwe ichi Iye adzathe kuwapulumutsa iwo amene anataika mu chirengedwe Chake (ameneyo ndi inu ndi ine, zolengedwa za nthawi).

⁶⁰ Ake—Mawu ake ndendende anawonetsera zimenezo... Iye ndi ntchito Zake zinatsimikizira kuti Iye sanali chinthu chochepera kuposa Mlengi. Iye anatenga chidutswa cha mkate ndipo anawunyema iwo, ndipo anakhala akunyema chidutswa chimodzi icho cha mkate, ndipo anadyetsa anthu faivi sauzande kuchokera pa iwo; ndipo anatolera madengu seveni odzadza a

zidutswa zotsalira, ndipo aliyense kumeneko anali ndi—ndi—kukhuta kwathunthu kwa mkate.

⁶¹ Iye anatenga nsomba ndipo anainyema nsomba imeneyo. Tsopano ngati ife tikuzindikira kuti iye analenga nsomba imeneyo pachiyambi. Iye analenga mkate umenewo pachiyambi. Koma Iye anatenga nsomba iyo ndipo anainyema nsomba imeneyo. Inali nsomba yamoyo, ndipo kenako inawirtsidwa ka—kapena inakazingidwa; ndipo pamene Iye anainyema iyo, kaya iyo inali yotani (yowiritsidwa kapena yokazingidwa), iyo inameranso (miniti yomweyo imene Iye anainyema iyo) nsomba ina yowiritsidwa kapena yokazingidwa. Kodi izo si zodabwitsa? Izo zinasonyeza kuti Iye sanali wochepera kwa Yehova. Ndipo kenako Iye anali Mlengi amene anatha kutenga chirengedwe Chake Chomwe, ndipo ndi chirengedwe Chake, anadzafotokoza Yemwe Iye anali. Aleluya! Izo zinatsimikizira kuti Iye anali chimene Iye anali. Iye anali Umulungu. Kotero, golide anali akubwera kwa Iye, mu chopereka pa kubadwa Kwake. Iye anali Umulungu utapangidwa thupi.

⁶² Ine ndikhoza kugwetsera china-... Palibe alendo pakati pathu usikuuno, ine ndikuganiza, koter... mu msokhano wa pemphero uno. Koma mundilore ine ndinene chinachake. Kodi Yesu, pamene Iye anali kuno,...? Tsopano, ichi ndichoti muchiganizire, osati choti... mwinamwake... kufufuza kani. Zindikirani, basi kuti muchilingalire, Yesu ananena, mu Yohane Woyer 14:12, "Iye amene akhulupirira pa Ine, ntchito zimene Ine ndikuzichita iye adzazichitanso ndipo zazikulu zoposa izi iye adzazichita, pakuti Ine ndikupita kwa Atate Anga." Kodi inu mumazindikira zimenezo? Zindikirani, tsopano, uyo anali Mwana wa Mulungu akulonjeza kwa wokhulupirira, kuti zinthu zazikulu zoposa zomwe Iye anachita, (mmasiku otsiriza ano) kuti wokhulupirira akanadzachita zinthu zazikulu kuposa zomwe Iye anachita. Yohane Woyer, mutu wa 14, ndime ya 12. Nkulondola uko? Kodi inu mukukhulupirira Yesu ananena zimenezo?

⁶³ Zindikirani, pamene Yesu analenga mkate; Iye anatenga chidutswa cha mkate, ndipo analenga mkate umene unali kale mkate. Pamene Iye analenga nsomba; Iye anatenga nsomba imene poyamba inali italengedwa kukhala nsomba, ndipo anaika nsomba ina kuchokera mwa iyo. Nkulondola uko? Iye anatenga madzi, omwe mwakuthekera akanadzakhala vinyo, ndipo anapanga vinyo kuchokera mwa iwo. Nkulondola uko? Koma ife tamuwona Iye pakati pathu, mmasiku otsiriza ano, akulenga zinthu pompo pompo, popanda chirichonse chitaima pamene! Nkulondola uko? Kulenga gologolo pomwe panalibepo agologolo. Kulondola! O, Iye ali... akukhalabe Mulungu. Iye ali basi Umulungu lero monga mmene Iye analiri nthawi imeneyo ndipo nthawizonse anali, kapena nthawizonse adzakhala. Iye akadali Mulungu, ndipo akutsutsa mitima kuti

ikhulupirire izo, “Zinthu zazikulu zoposa izi, inu... popanda chirichonse kuti uchigwire ndi kuchinyema. Kuyankhula izo, ndipo nkukhala chomwecho.”

⁶⁴ Zindikirani tsopano, ife tikupeza kuti Yake...Iye anazindikiritsa. Ntchito zimene Iye amachita zimazindikiritsa kuti Iye anali Umulungu, zimawonetsera kuti Iye anali. Pakuti Iye anati, “Ngati Ine sindikuchita ntchito za Atate Anga, ndiyе musandikhulupirire Ine.”

⁶⁵ Ndipo kodi Mkhristu sanganene lero, “Ngati ine sindikuchita ntchito za Mpulumutsi wanga, musandikhulupirire ine”? Mukuona?

⁶⁶ “Monga Atate anandituma Ine, chomwechonso Ine ndikukutumani inu.” Ndipo ngati inu mukuchita ntchitozo, ntchito zolenga za Atate amene anamutuma Iye, ndiyе ndi chirengedwe...Khristu (Mlengi) amene akutituma ife, amene akuchita ntchito za Khritsu Mlengi. Mukuona? “Monga Atate anandituma Ine, chomwechonso Ine ndikukutumani inu. Ndipo ngati ine sindikuchita ntchito za Atate Anga, musandikhulupirire ine.”

⁶⁷ Ndiye Mkhristu lero akuyenera kuchita Moyo umene Khristu ankachita kapena ife tiri ndi ufulu wonena kuti, “Izo siziri chomwecho.”

⁶⁸ Zindikirani tsopano, ntchito Zake zinamulenga Iye... kapena zinamuzindikiritsa Iye kukhala Mlengi. Ntchito Zake zimene Iye ankachita zinaveka korona umboni wa moyo Wake, kuti Iye anali “Mlengi”; palibe njira yothawira kwa izo. Choncho, pamene iwo anapereka mphatso ya golide, iwo anali mwangwiyo mu mgwirizano ndi Mulungu limodzi ndi mphatso yawo. Iwo anampatsa Iye golide, amene anamuzindikiritsa Iye kukhala Umulungu. Nthawizonse nduwira, nduwira ya golide...mutu wa golide, wa Mfumu Nebukadinezara. Zonsezо, inu mukuona, izo...nthawizonse Umulungu umaimiridwa ndi golide.

⁶⁹ Tsopano: *lubano*. Ife tikufuna kuti titenge izi mofulumira. *Lubano* ndi “chopereka cha kutumikira kwa Yehova.” Tsopano, ngati inu mukufuna kuti mulemba awa, Levitiko 2:2, ndi Levitiko 16:6 mpaka 15. Ife tikupeza kuti ilo ndiro dongosolo la unsembe, kupanga chopereka kwa Yehova. Pamene iye anapanga chopereka, icho chinkayenera kuti chipangidwe ndi kusakanizidwa ndi *lubano* kwa chopereka cha tchimo, iwo anatenga zinthu zosiyanasiyana ndipo anazisakaniza izo. Ya nsembe ya ufa, ya nsembe ya choweyula, *lubano* linathiridwamo. Chifukwa, izo zinali zolandiridwa kwa Yehova ngati izo zinali zodzozedwa ndi *lubano*, chimene chikutanthauza kuti izo ndi “utumiki kwa Yehova, Mulungu.” Ndipo, tsopano, ife tikupeza kuti Iye ndi Umulungu. Ndipo iwo anamubweretsera Iye *lubano*,

chinali choimira kuti Iye anali utumiki kwa Yehova. Yesu ndi Mtumiki wa Yehova.

⁷⁰ Tsopano, mu Mateyu Woyer 12:15 mpaka 21, ife tikupeza kuti Iye anali Mtumiki wa Yehova, “Taonani Mtumiki wanga, mwa Yemwe Ine ndikukondwera” (ndipo Iye anali) “ndipo Ine ndaika mphamvu Zanga pa Iye.” Chotero moyo Wake unazodzedwa ndi lubano, kwa utumiki wa Yehova. Ndi mphatso bwanji imene amuna anzeru aja anapereka! Mwaona, iyo inali chinachake kwa... mpha—mphatso imene iwo anapereka, inali chinachake choti chikamudzindikiritse Yesu ngati Mtumiki wa Yehova.

⁷¹ Tsopano ngati ife tingathe kuchita chokhacho, kuti tikadzindikiritse miyoyo yathu. Mwaona, miyoyo yathu kuti ikadzindikirtsidwe ngati mtumiki wa Yehova. Ndicho chimene lubano limaimira, icho chinamupanga Iye Mtumiki wa Yehova.

⁷² Tsopano, *mure*, m-u-r-e, anali “kudzodza kwa imfa.” Ife tikupeza mu Yohane Woyer, mutu wa 19, ndime ya 39, kuti akupita ku—mwambo wa maliro a Yesu, pamene Maria ndi iwo ankapita, iwo anatenga mure uyu kuti akamudzodze naye Iye; chifukwa Iye ayenera kukhala Mtumiki wa imfa kwa Yehova. Mukuona? Winawake ankayenera kuti afe. Iyo inali ntchito imene inkayenera kuchitidwira Mulungu, ndipo panalibe aliyense anali woyenera kuti akaichite iyo koma Mulungu Mwiniwake. Kotero, kubweretsa mure—mure, kunawonetsera kuti ndi Umulungu, ndi utumiki, kuti Iye nayenso anadzodzedwa ndi mure; kuti Umulungu uwu umayenera kudzaphedwa kuti udzapulumutse wosalungamayo. O, ndi chinthu chopambana bwanji!

⁷³ Chirengedwe chonse chinali chitataika. Ife tangodutsa kumene izo mu Zisindikizo Zisanu Ndi Ziwire. Mwaona, chirengedwe chonse chinataika, chirichonse chinali chitapita. Zonsezo zinali za Satana. Iye anakhala wolowa wa icho ndipo iye akadali mwini wa icho. Iye mwamtheradi akutero. Ndi chifukwa chake ife timamenyana ndi kumakhala ndi mavuto onse awa. Iye akulamulira ufumu uliwonse; Satana akutero. Boma lirilonse, mfumu iliyonse, ufumu uliwonse, ukulamulidwa ndi Satana. Dziko lonse likulamulidwa ndi kuyendetsedwa ndi Satana. Ndi chifukwa chake ife tiri ndi mavuto amene ife tiri nawowa. Wophunzira Baibulo aliyense, kapena chirichonse, akhoza kukuuzani inu kuti Satana... Chabwino, Baibulo Palokha limati iye anatero, mwaona, kuti iye akulamulira dziko. Koma Khristu adzakhala Wolandira wa ilo, pakuti tsopano Iye ndi Muomboli wathu. Ndipo Iye anabwera kuti adzawombole chirengedwe chonse, ndipo palibe chimene chikanachita izo koma Mulungu Mwiniwake.

⁷⁴ Ndi chifukwa chake kuti Mulungu samachita kalikonse kunja kwa munthu. Iye nthawizonse amagwira ntchito kudzera

mwa munthu chifukwa Iye ankayenera kumugwiritsa ntchito munthu. Munthu ndi amene Iye ankayenera kuti amugwiritsa ntchito kuti akawonetsere chikhumbo Chake cha Mpulumutsi. Iye ankayenera kumupanga iye mu chifanizo Chake, kumupanga iye chinachake chofanana ndi Iye, ndipo anadzamuika iye pa ufulu wochita mwayekha ndi kumusiya iye kuti azichita mulimonse mmene iye akufunira. Iye amakhoza kutenga kusankha kwake. Ndipo Iye amaddziwa kuti munthu ameneyo, pakumupatsa iye kusankha uku, akanadzagwa. Kotero pokhala kuti Iye ankayenera kuchita izo, Iye anapotoloka ndipo anadzamupanga munthu bwanawewe kwa Iye, ndipo samachita kanthu pokha pokhapo Iye atachita izo kudzera mwa munthu!

⁷⁵ Ntchito yonse ya chiwombolo inabwera ndi munthu! Aleluya! Imfa inabwera ndi munthu woyamba, Moyo unabwera ndi Adamu wachiwiri. Mukuona? Ndi zimenezotu, Iye samachita kalikonse chifukwa Iye amayenera kuti amugwiritsa ntchito munthu pa zimenezo, kenako Iye anamugwiritsa ntchito munthu kuti awombolenso. Kotero Umulungu unadzakhala Yehova, kapena, Yehova ana-... Iye ndi Umulungu, ndipo Iye anadzakhala a—Mwana. Iye anadzasandulika mchifanizo cha tchimo, kuti Iye adzakhoze kumuwombola wochimwa. Mwaona, ndi chimenecho chinthu chonsecho.

⁷⁶ Tsopano, taonani chimene...ndi mokongola bwanji mmene mphatso zimenezo zikukwanirana mwa Yesu Khristu; taonani, golide, akuyankhula za Umulungu Wake. Tsopano, iwo sanali achikunja. Iwo anadzodzedwa ndi Mulungu. Iwo sanali kulingalira chinachake. Izo zikutsimikizira pomwe apo, ngakhale Amagi, kuti iwo anawona Chauzimu. Chifukwa mphatso yawo yomwe, imene iwo anapereka, inazindikiritsa ndipo inayankhula bwino za umboni wawo kuti iwo anawona Kuwala Kwauzimu. Chifukwa chiyani? Izo zikuyankhula mwangwiyo. Iwo anabweretsa *golide*, “Umulungu.” Iwo anabweretsa *lubano*, “utumiki.” Ndipo iwo anabweretsa *mure*, wa “imfa” Yake, pamene Iye anali Mwana, ameni, kuwonetsera kuti Umulungu ukadanadzaphedwa mu thupi, ameni, kuti udzakhoze kuwombola munthu wakugwa. Kodi anthu angathe bwanji kuzikana zimenezo?

⁷⁷ Pamene inu muzindikira: Kodi ife tikuchita chiyani kuno? Kodi ife tinachokera kuti? Kapena kodi ife tiri ndi ntchito yanji yokhalira kuno? Ife sitinangoikidwa kuno mwa mwayi, ife tinaikidwa kuno ndi cholinga ndipo ife tiyenera kutumikira cholinga chimenecho. Komabe ife tinabwerera pa maziko a ufulu wochita mwakufuna kwathu pamene ife tingatumikire Ichō kapena kuchikana Ichō, chimodzimodzi basi monga Adamu anachitira pachiyambi.

⁷⁸ Ine ndikuwona, atsikana aang’ono awa apa, M’bale... Ndi chiyani...? Ine ndikukhulupirira ndi dona wamng’ono amaimba limba, ndipo i—ine ndimawamvetsera iwo pamene

iwo amaimba. Ife tinali kuyankhula za iwo, pa msewu kuno. Pali banja laling'ono limene lapereka moyo wawo wonse ndi chirichonse kwa Khristu. Taliwonani banja limenelo, mmene lirili la dongosolo. Tawayang'aneni atsikana aang'ono awo. Iwo anali ataima kuno, chi—chitsanzo cha umayi waung'ono, wa usinkhu wa zaka za mmatini. Ndipo palibe kanthu . . .

⁷⁹ Masabata pang'ono apitawo ine ndinapita uko monga . . . ine sindikudziwa kuti dzina la malowo ndi chiyani kumusi uko, mu New York tsopano, kumene iwo ali basi ndi nyumba za anyamata opanda makhalidwe. Tsopano, atsikana amenewo uko okhala—atavala zothina ndi—ndipo opanda kanthu koma amodzi a akabudula osambira aang'ono awa, monga iwo amadzitchulira izo, pamwamba pa izo. Ndipo, o, basi kusaka . . . Iwo amachita chirichonse chomwe chiri mmalingaliro mwawo, ziribe kanthu kuti ndi chiyani, ndi chifukwa chake—chifukwa chake iwo ali ana a makhalidwe oyipa. Iwo amangochita chirichonse. Ngati iwo akufuna kugona, osadzuka, iwo amangogona ndipo osadzuka. Ngati iwo akufuna kupita, kukachita chinthus chinachake, iwo amakachita icho; ngati iwo sakufuna, iwo sakufuna. Basi, malingaliro awo amangoyenda! Ndipo kodi malingaliro osatembenuka amathera kuti? Inu mulibe ufulu woti muzichita zimenezo, chifukwa inu si a inu eni; inu munagulidwa ndi Umulungu, Yesu Khristu, Mwana wa Mulungu amene anadzasandulika thupi. Koma, onani, chisokonezeeko cha tchimo!

⁸⁰ Ndipo inu mukuona aang'ono, atsikana achichepere ngati amenewo amaima mowonekera; bwanji, kwa ine, uko ndi kuwala mu nthawi ya mdima. Iko ndi kuwala kwa mphanda, kwa chikwapu chokhotakhota cha Mulungu, mu mlengalenga kusonyezera kuti pakhoza kukhala Kuwala! Pakhoza kukhala chirungamo pakati pa tchimo!

⁸¹ Maria, amake a Yesu, mu mzinda wa Nazareti, mzinda woipitsitsa umene unalipo mu dzikolo, koma kuchokera kumeneko Mulungu anasankha dona wamng'ono kuti akabale Mwana Wake; chotengeramo, chiberekero chimene chinkayenera ku . . . Khanda linkayenera kubadwiramo. Iye anamtenga munthu woteroyo kuti achite izo. Mulungu amagwira ntchito kudzera mwa anthu kuti adzawombole anthu. Iye akhoza kukutengani inu, kugwira ntchito kudzera mwa inu kuti akawombole umunthu, ngati inu mutadzipereka kwathunthu chirichonse chomwe inu muli.

⁸² Ngati ndinu mkazi wachichepere, mupereke makhalidwe anu. Ndinu mnyamata, mupereke makhalidwe anu, mupereke malingaliro anu, mupereke kuganiza kwanu, mupereke mtima wanu, mupereke moyo wanu, mupereke zonse zimene inu muli! Ndipo mumulole Khristu agwire ntchito kudzera mwa zimenezo. Ndi chinthus chaulemelero bwanji! Muli ndi mitsinje yoti muwoloke, inu muli ndi—milatho yoti muoloke, inu muli

ndi—muli ndi malo aminga, inu muli ndi malunjje, inu muli ndi nkhalango, inu muli ndi malo a mdima, inu muli ndi mapiri aatali, inu muli ndi zikweza zazitali. Kodi inu mukuchita chiyani? Tsiku lina inu mudzayenera kuti mudzaime ndi kudzayang'ana mmbuyo, kudzawona kumene inu mukuchokera, ndipo inu mudzaweluzidwa ndi njira yomwe inu mwatengayo. Muike zanu—zanu zonse, malingaliro anu ndi maganizo anu, pa Nyenyezi ya Kumadzulo iyo (pachirikati cha Mulungu) ndipo musasunthe kuchoka kwa Iyo. Mukhale pomwepo ndi Iyo. Iyo idzakubweretsani inu molunjika monga Iyo inachitira ndi Amagi, molunjika mpaka kwa Khristu.

⁸³ Chabwino, anamudzoza Iye ndi mure. Ife tikupeza tsopano, mu Yohane 12:1 ndi 7, ndizo ndendende basi zimene Iye anachita. Iye anali Wantchito wangwiwo wa Mulungu, ndipo anamupanga Iye adzdodzedwe ndi mphatso Zake zonse Zauzimu. Iye anadzodzedwa ndi mphatso zonse za Mulungu chifukwa Iye anali Mulungu. Iye anali Mulungu. Mwaona, *iwo* anamubweretsera Iye mphatso.

⁸⁴ Tsopano, ife tidza....Ine ndikukhumba...Anthu pano nthawizонсе, ambiri a iwo, inu mukudziwa, amakutumizira iwe chinachake. Tsopano, pamene izo zifika powatumizira, ine sindimatha kuchita izo. Mukuona? Izo ziri pa dziko lonse. Ine sindimatha basi kuchita zimenezo. Ndipo ine ndimayamikira pang'ono...zinthu zazing'ono, ndi zinthu zomwe anthu amachita kuti adzifotokoze okha ndi kuthokoza kwavo ndi zina zotero.

⁸⁵ Tsopano, izi ndi zimene amuna olemera awa anachita. Amuna awa ndi Amagi, iwo anagula golide, golide weniweni. Iwo anabweretsa lubano, wopambana yemwe iwo anampeza. Iwo anabweretsa mure, wopambana amene iwo anampeza.

⁸⁶ Ife tikuzindikira apa, mu Yohane Woyer 12, ife tikupeza kuti mkazi uyu...ngati ife tikanakhala ndi nthawi yoti tiwerenge izo, koma ine sindikufuna kuti ndikusungeni inu matalika kwambiri, mwaona, chifukwa ine ndikudziwa mawa ndi Lolemba, ndipo inu...ena a inu muyenera mukagwire ntchito. Taonani, iwo anabweretsa...Uyu—mkazi uyu anabweretsa mure uyu, chinachake chodzoza chodula chija, kuti chidzachotse fungo la imfa. Ndipo iye anatsegula bokosi losungira mafuta ili ndipo anawatsanulira iwo pa mutu wa Yesu. Ndipo Yudasi anati, “Bwanji, izi zimayenera kuperekedwa kwa osauka.” (Anati, “Osati kuti anali ndi kulemekeza pa osauka, koma iye anali wakuba kuyamba ndi kuyamba, iye amanyamula ndalamu.”) Ndipo anati, “Awa amayenera kugulitsidwa, m'malo mwake mwaika iwo...”

⁸⁷ Ndipo Yesu anati, “Msiyeni iye yekha! Pakuti iye wachita ichi...” Iye anamudzodza Iye, ku kuikidwa mmanda Kwake. Mukuona? Mkazi uyu, anali woyamikira kwambiri kuti machimo

ake akhululukidwa mpaka iye anagwiritsa ntchito ndalama zake zonse zomwe iye anali nazo, ndipo anatenga bokosi losungira mafuta ndipo analitsegula ilo ndipo anatsanulira mafuta ndipo anangonunkhirusa chipindacho ndi fungo labwino la mure uyu, amene iye anali atamudzodza Iye kwa imfa Yake. Tsopano, onani, iye anachita ntchitoyo mosazindikira chimene iye anali kuchita, koma iye anali woyamikira kwambiri kwa Mulungu.

⁸⁸ Ndipo ngati inu muli woyamikira kwambiri chifukwa cha Khrisimasi, izo sikunena kuti, “Ine—ine ndimupatsa Joneses mphatso; ndipo iwo andipatsanso ine imodzi, ine ndiwona chimene nditapeze mmawa.” Bwanji inu osatsegula mtima wanu ndi kuwona chimene chiri mmenemo, mufufuze chimene muli nacho mmenemo *apa*. Ndipo mumulandire...ngati ife tipezamo mopanda kanthu, mongokhala tizikhulupiriro totsutsa ndi—ndi—ndi zosamalira za mdziko, bwanji osamufunsa Khristu kuti adzadzitsemo umo usikuuno? Usikuuno, kuti inu muthe kupeza tanthauzo lenileni la Khrisimasi. Izo—izo ndi Khristu mwa inu; Mulungu, akukhala mu mtima wa munthu. Ndicho chimene Khrisimasi yeniyeni imantanhuza.

⁸⁹ Koma, inu mukuona, lero ife takhala otsutsa kwambiri. Ameneyo ndi mdierekezi amene akutidutsitsa ife kumeneko, (kuli masuwiti a mitengo opetedwa, ndi—ndi mphalapala ndi—ndi bambo wa ndevu, ndipo amawuluka mlengalenga ngati ndege, ndi kukachezera dziko lonse ndi nyumba iliyonse ndi kathumba kakang’ono ka zidole pa nsana wake, ndi kuchezera mwana aliyense) ndipo izo—izo ndi bodza chabe! Izo basi, bodza, lenileni. Mukuona? Tsopano, mukuona? Koma chifukwa chiyani? Mdierekezi wachita zimenezo kuti apotoze malingaliro a anthu.

⁹⁰ Dziko lazamalonda lalowa mu zimenezo ndipo iwo... Bwanji, iwo amapanga zokwanira pa nthawi ya Khrisimasi mpaka iwo akhoza kupuma chaka chonse, pafupifupi. Ine ndinalankhula ndi wamalonda tsiku lina, iye anati, “Inu mundipatse ine masabata awiri awa, ndipo ngati ine sinditha kuwaika anyamata anga apa,” anati, “Ine ndingadikirire mpaka Khrisimasi inayo; ine ndikhoza kuita kukawedza, chirichonse chimene ine ndikufuna kuti ndichite, mpaka Khrisimasi inayo.” Iye anati, “Koma ine ndimawasiya anyamata azipitirira.” Anati, “Ndimangowasunga iwo kuno mongokwanira kuti geni yanga izikhala yotsegula ndipo izo zimakhala—zimalipira manja anga ndi zinthu.” Anati, “Ine sindimapanga kalikonse mpaka—kufikira nthawi ya Khrisimasi ikafika.” Inu mukuona, icho chasanduka chinhu chachikulu cha malonda pamene chiyenera kukhala kupembedza; kupembedza.

⁹¹ Tsopano, Mulungu, anamudzodza kwambiri Yesu ndi chidzalo cha Iyemwini mpaka...Iye anali Mphatso ya Mulungu kwa dziko. Mwakuti amuna anzeru anazindikiritsa momveka, kuti iwo akupereka mphatso yawo kwa Iye; zinawonetsera kuti mu mtima mwawo iwo ankadziwa chimene Iye anali, ndi

chimene Iye akanati adzawachitire iwo. Kotero (nzosadabwitsa) chinthu choyamba chimene iwo anachita, iwo anaddzigwetsera pansi, mwangwiyo mu dongosolo, ndipo anamupembedza Iye. Iwo asanamvetse nkomwe izo, iwo anaddzigwetsera pansi ndipo anamupembedza Iye ndipo kenako anapereka mphatso zaho. Ndiyo njira yake yokhalira ndi Khrisimasi yeniyeni: kumupembedza Iye, kenako nkupereka mphatso yako; kudzipereka thupi lako ngati nsembe ya moyo, yoyerwa ndi yolandiridwa kwa Mulungu.

⁹² Koma inu mukudziwa chiyani, amuna anzeru attachita zimenezo? Abambo ndi amake a Khristu... abambo ongomulera (zoona) ndiponso amake, chifukwa Mulungu anali zonse ziwiri bambo Ake ndi amake. Koma ife tikupeza kuti iwo analandira mphatso izi kuchokera kwa amuna anzeru awa. Nzosadabwitsa kuti iwo ankatchedwa amuna anzeru. Iwo anali anzeru. Iwo anali kwenikweni... anali ndi nzeru. Ngati amuna lero angakhale anzeru chomwecho, anzeru basi! Zimatengera munthu wanzeru kuti abwere kwa Khristu. Munthu amene amachoka kwa Iye ndi munthu wopanda nzeru. Koma zimatengera munthu wanzeru, kuti abwere kwa Khristu.

⁹³ Tsopano zindikirani! Ndipo zitachitika kuti amuna anzeru amuzindikiritsa Iye chimene Iye akanadzakhala, ndipo ife tikupeza kudutsa mu Lemba ndizo ndendende zomwe Iye anali: Umulungu uli mu utumiki kwa imfa. Za chiyani? Umulungu mu utumiki kwa Mulungu chifukwa cha imfa. Yesu anali Umulungu mu utumiki chifukwa cha imfa, kuti adzaliwombole dziko. Koma kodi dziko linachita chiyani kwa Iwo? Iwo anawukana Iwo. Iwo anawukana Iwo. Chifukwa chiyani? Ena a iwo, gawo lalikulu la iwo, anachita zimenezo chifukwa ichi: chifukwa Iye anafa! Iwo anati, "Iye sakankhala Umulungu ndipo nkufa." Munthuyu (thupi) sanali Umulungu, koma Umulungu unali mu thupilo. Thupi ili liyenera kufa. Khristu yemwego amene ali mwa inu ndi chinthu chokhacho chimene chingakudzutseni inu. Umenewo ndiye Umulungu, Mulungu mwa inu.

⁹⁴ Tsopano, zindikirani! Tsopano, chimodzimodzi ndi lero, iwo akukana Umulungu wozindikiritsidwa. Kodi inu mukuzimvetsa zimenezo? Iwo ndithudi adzalemba dzina lawo pa bukhu la mpingo ndikuti, "Ine ndiyesetsa kukhala moyo mwa chikhulupiriro ichi." Iwo amatenga lumbiriro pa ichi. Koma pamene zifika povomereza Umulungu, ndi kufotokozeranso mtundu womwewo wa mphatso monga iwo anachitira... kuti iwe umazindikiritsidwa ndi mphatso yako, kuti iwe umapereka umunthu wako wonse kwa Iwo, kuti ukazindikire Umulungu. Ukatero iwe umadzizindikiritsa wekha ndi Umulungu, popereka zonse zomwe iwe uli, chimene iwe uli, kwa Umulungu Iwoweni.

⁹⁵ Tsopano, Khristu mu tsiku lino, limene ife tsopano tikukhalamo, akadali panobe Umu... akudzizindikiritsa Iyemwini: Umulungu, pakati pa anthu. Iye akadali Umulungu,

chifukwa Iye ndi Mawu. Ndipo pamene ife tiwawona Mawu akudzikhala Okha moyo, zikamatero ife timadziwa kuti munthu sangathe kuchita izo. Ndi Umulungu, Mawu akuwonetseredwa ndi munthu. Ndipo Yesu ananena Mwiniwake, "Mwana sangachite kanthu mwa Iyemwini. Ine sindingachite kanthu, Ine ndine Munthu," Yesu anatero. "Koma Atate Anga amene akukhala mwa Ine, Iye amandiwonetsa Ine zinthu zonse zomwe Iyemwini akuchita." Amen! Ndi zimenezotu! Ndi chiyani chimenecho? Umulungu ukuzindikiritsidwa mwa munthu. Tsopano, chinthu chomwecho chiriponso lero; kuti Umulungu, Mawu olonjezedwa a tsiku lino, akhoza kudzizindikiritsa Okha mwa inu. Amen! Ndiye mupereke zanu zonse kwa Iwo. Muwonetsere kuti inu mukukhulupirira mwa Iwo. Apatseni Iwo Umulungu: muzikhulupirira Iwo, utumiki, ndipo mudzikhala okonzeka kufa kwa inueni ndi malingaliro anu anu. Koma lero Iwo akukanidwa monga Iwo anachitira nthawi imeneyo.

⁹⁶ Zindikirani, Mulungu anawalondolera Amagi ndi mphatso zimenezo. Kwa pafupifupi zaka ziwiri, iwo anakhala akuitsatira Nyenyezi imeneyo. Mukuona? Ndipo izo zikusonyeza kuti Iyo siikanakhoza kukhala chimodzi cha zinthu zachirengedwe zomwe zinachitika. Mukuona? Chifukwa ngati nyenyezi, zikuwoloka modutsa mwawa, zikanawoloka, izo zikanasonyeza kuti panali chinachake chosiyana. Chifukwa... pokhapokhapo ngati Amagi amenewo anaiwona Iyo, nthawi yaitali izo zisanachitike, ndipo nkumadziwa kuti iwo amayenera kudutsira njira imeneyo; mwaona, mu tinjira timene iwo anali kudutsamo. Ndipo iwo anawolokera ku Betelehemu komweko pa nthawi imeneyo, anayambira kumtunda uko, nthawi isanafike, akudziwa kuti matupi akumwamba awa akuyenda chopita njira imeneyo.

⁹⁷ Tsopano, Mulungu anawatsogolera Amagi chifukwa iwo anali ndi mphatso zoyenera. Mulungu anawatsogolera amuna anzeru awa chifukwa iwo anali ndi mphatso zoyenera zozindikiritsidwa kuti zikamuzindikiritse Mwana Wake. Ooooh, mayi! Kodi inu mwamvetsa zimenezo? Amuna anzeru lero, akadzuka mu Dzina la Ambuye, osati ndi chinachake chopeka, koma ndi mphatso imene Mulungu anailonjeza kwa tsiku lino, zikatero Mulungu adzakutsogolerani inu kuti mukazindikire kuti Yesu Khristu ali yemweyo dzulo, lero, ndi kwa nthawizonse. Ndi zimenezotu: amuna anzeru!

⁹⁸ Mulungu analondolera mphatso zimenezo chifukwa izo zinali mphatso zoti zikamudzindikiritse Iye. Amuna anzeru, lero, amene angayang'ane kutali kuchoka ku zachitchalitchi ndi zinthu zonse za mdziko, nkupita ku Mawu Amoyo a Mulungu! Ndipo Mulungu adzamuzindikiritsa Mwana Wake mwa Mawu Ake, chifukwa Ndicho chimene Iye ali. "Ine ndi Atate Anga ndife mmodzi" Ndipo, "Pachiyambi panali Mawu, ndipo Mawu anali ndi Mulungu, ndipo Mawu anali Mulungu.

Ndipo Mawu anasandulika thupi ndipo anadzakhala pakati pathu.” Ndipo Mawu omwewo lero, Iye ali yemweyo dzulo, lero ndi kwanthawizonse. Ndipo mwamuna wanzeru amatsatira Zimenezo, chifukwa Icho ndi chimene Mulungu amachisamalira kuti azizindikiritsa Yekha pogwiritsa ntchito Chimenecho. Amen! Mphatso! Mphatso yeniyeni, yozindikiritsidwa ya Mulungu, Mulungu amaibweretsa iyo kudutsa chirichonse monga zimenezo, kuti akazidzindikiritsemo Yekha.

⁹⁹ Ndipo umo ndi mmene Khristu anadzindikiritsidwira: mwa golide, mure, ndi lubano, mwa amuna amenewo akuwonetsera mwamthunzi ndi kuwonetsera moimira chimene moyo Wake unali woti udzakhale. Mukuona? Umulungu kuwonetsedwera utumiki, kuti akafe kuti Iye adzakhoze kuwombola fuko, chifukwa Iye anali woti “adzawapulumutsa anthu Ake kwa tchimo lawo.” Osati kudzalipulumutsa dziko, kudzawapulumutsa anthu Ake ku tchimo *lawo*. Baibulo likunena apa, “Pakuti mu—mu Dzina Lake Amitundu adzadalira.” Mukuona? Amitundu adzadalira mu Dzina Lake. Amen! Mwa kulankhula kwina, Mkwatibwi, *oitanidwa-atuluke* a Amitundu, adzakhala akudalira mu Dzina la Yesu Khristu, “Mu Dzina Lake Amitundu adzadalira.” Tsopano, Mulungu anawalondolera iwo, chifukwa iwo anali... mphatso zimene iwo anali kupereka, zinali zokwanirana ndi nthawiyo.

¹⁰⁰ Zindikirani! Monga ine ndanenera, Mulungu ali... Iye—Iye anawagawaniza Mawu Ake pachiyambi, mu Genesis. Ine ndikhoza kutenga Genesis ndi kukuwonetsani inu m'badwo uliwonse mu Baibulo, kutsika mpaka ku m'badwo uno pano. Miyambo yonse ndi zinthu zimene ife tiri nazo lero, ine ndikhoza kukuwonetsani inu ndendende komwe izo zinali mu Genesis. Mukuona?

¹⁰¹ Mulungu amapereka Mawu Ake ochuluka chonchi *apa*, ochuluka chonchi *apa*, ochuluka chonchi *apa*, kwa m'badwo uliwonse. Ndipo kenako Iye amatumiza m'neneri, wodzodzedwa kuti adzawapangitse Mawu amenewo kukwaniritsidwa, ndipo iye amathandizira winayo amene anali kubwera. Mwaona, monga Mesiya, nthawizonse amathandizira. Mneneri aliyense mmoyo wake womwe, umunthu wake womwe, Mawu amene anaperekedwa a tsiku limenelo, iye amabwera ndi kudzakwaniritsa Mawu olembedu awo ndi kuneneratu za chimene winayo anali woti adzakhale. Ndipo mmodzi aliyense wa iwo amayankhula za Iye (ameni) chifukwa Iye anali chidzalo, Iye anali Wamkulu wa aneneri, Iye anali Mawu a Mulungu, Iye anali aneneri. Amen! Ndi Ameneeyotu apo. Zindikirani! Ndi zodabwitsa bwanji zimene Iye anali: mmodzi aliyense wa aneneri amenewo.

¹⁰² Ndiye pamene Iye anabwera, Iye anali chidzalo cha aneneri onse, akuwonetseredwa; chifukwa iwo anali Mawu a Ambuye, ndipo Iye anati Iyemwini, “Ngati inu mumawatcha

iwo milungu, amene Mawu a Mulungu amadzako, kodi inu mukunditsutsa Ine bwanji pamene Ine ndikuti ‘Ine ndine Mwana wa Mulungu?’” Mwaona, ngakhale iwo mu m’badwo umenewo amazindikiritsidwa ngati milungu, Mulungu amawatcha iwo, Iyemwini, “milungu.” Kodi iwo anali chiyani? Iwo anali kuwonetseredwa kwa Mawu Ake. Ndipo apa Iye anali, chidzalo cha Mawu, Umulungu mu thupi, Umulungu ukuwonetseredwa mu thupi.

¹⁰³ Penyani! Pakuti mphatso izi, zimene amuna awa anabweretsa, iwo sakanabweretsa izo kwa mneneri. Izo sizikanakhala zolondola. Mukuona? Mphatso zimenezo sizikanapita kwa Eliya, izo sizikanapita kwa Mose, izo zinkayenera kuti zibwere kwa Iye. Ndipo pokhala kuti mphatso zimenezo zinali mosamalitsa za tsiku limenelo, ndipo zinali zotzi zikazindikirits Yemwe Iye anali mwa mphatso zimenezi, ndiye apa panabwera Mulungu limodzi nawo ndipo anadzamutetezera Iye. Ndipo anawasunga iwo, zaka ziwiri kumeneko, mpaka iwo anadzapeza Kuwala Kwangwiyo. Zikukwanirana bwanji!

¹⁰⁴ Chinthu chomwecho lero. Ife tiri nawo anthu amene ali okhulupirika basi, anthu abwino, anthu enieni. Koma, inu mukuona, mmenemo, pakhala chinachake chiti chibwere, chimene Mulungu nthawizonse wakhala akuchita, kuti adzalizindikirits tsiku lino. Ili ndi tsiku limene zinthu izi zinayankhulidwa kuti zidzachitika. Sipadzakhala ambiri, apang’ono okha, apang’ono kwambiri amene ati adzapulumutsidwe. Baibulo linanena chomwecho. Adzakhala ongokwanira mdzanja.

¹⁰⁵ Yesu ananena Mwiniwake, “Monga izo zinali mmasiku a Nowa, mmene miyoyo isanu ndi itatu inapulumutsidwa.” Miyoyo isanu ndi itatu, kuchokera mu—kam’badwo koyerekezedwa ndi aka. “Monga izo zinali mmasiku a Nowa.” Chinali chiyani icho? Anthu amphamu, otukuka, ogwira ntchito amphamu, omanga amphamu, chirichonse amphamu mmene iwo anali nazo. Anapanga chitukuko ichi chimodzimodzi monga choncho, zinthu zazikulu zimene iwo anali nazo. “Ndipo monga izo zinali mmasiku a Nowa, chomwechonso izo zidzakhala mu kudza kwa Mwana wa Munthu.” Mukuona? Ndipo Mulungu anamutenga Nowa kuti adzazindikirits Mawu Ake olonjezedwa. Izo zinali zokwanirana kwambiri. Chombo chinali chokwanirana ku Mawu a Mulungu omwe iye anawayankhula, kuti Iye akanadzawononga munthu. Koma iye anapulumutsa zomwe iye akanatha.

¹⁰⁶ Tsopano, anzeru awa, kubweretsa mphatso zawo, chinazindikiritsa. Mphatso zawo zinazindikiritsa chimene Iwo anali, ndipo ndi chifukwa chake Mulungu anatetezera mphatso zimenezo kudutsa kusuntha kulikonse kumene iwo anapanga. Iye anawatetezera Iwo mpaka iwo anakafika ndi mphatso zimenezo, chifukwa izo zinali zogwirizana ndi nthawiyo. Kodi

mpingo wanga ukumvetsa zimenezo? Izo ndi zimene zikuchitika tsopano! Ine ndikudalira kuti izo sizikudutsa pamwamba pa mutu wanu. Ine ndikuyenera kuti ndiyankhule izo mu fanizo, pafupifupi, inu mukuona. Koma kodi inu mukuona? Izo ndi zinthu zimene zikuchitika zikukwanirana ndi tsiku lino, Laodikaya. Ino ndi nthawi yokwanirana yake, ndi chifukwa chake Mulungu wawatetezera Iwo. Mwaona, anawadutsitsa Iwo kuti adzazizindikiritse Yekha. Mphatso, ngakhale mtengo wake unali imfa, izo zinaika chopunthwitsa mu njira yawo. Ndi nthawi yokwanirana, uko nkulondola, kukwanirana ndi tsikuli. Ndi chifukwa chake Mulungu wawatetezera Iwo, mwanjira yomwe Iye wachitira. Iye adzawatetezera Iwo, kufikira cholinga Chake chitachitidwa.

¹⁰⁷ O, ine ndinawerenga nkhani, inabwera ku malingaliro anga osati kale litali, ya chinachake mwa dongosolo limenelo. Kunali mzinda waukulu, kuno mu fuko lino, ndi... New York. Ndipo zinali pa usiku wa Khrisimasi. Ndipo kunali banja losauka. Bambo wamng'ono wokalamba, iye anali ndi TB, ndipo iye anali... ndipo mkazi wake anali ndi TB. Iwo anali osauka. Ndipo iye—iye anali ngati... Iye anali wofookerapo ndipo palibe amamulemba iye ntchito. Iye analibe maphunziro, ndipo iye—iye... anthu sankamufuna iye.

¹⁰⁸ Iye basi anali wokanidwa, iye anadzakhala masikini. Basi... inu mukudziwa chomwe masikini ali, kumangoyendayenda ndi—ndi kumatola chinachake, ndi kukagulitsa izo mmakomo ndi kupeza chimene iwe ungakwanitse; phindu lochepa limene iwo angapange pa izo, iwo amayesera kukhala nazo moyo. Basi... ngati wogulitsa mmakomo kapena chinachake, pa msewu; kupita kukagula ma phini ena ndi masingano ndi tizovala, ndi chirichonse chimene iwo angakwanitse. Ndi—ndi kutenga izo, ndi—ndipo mwinamwake kugula paketi pamtengo wa senti, ndikukagulitsa pa mtengo wa faivi senti; ndi kukapanga masenti foro pa paketi, ndipo mwinamwake pakutha pa tsiku. Iwe nkuti, “Ilo—ilo ndi phindu lalikulu.” Koma tangoganizani, zonse zimene amagulitsa pa tsiku. Mwinamwake amapanga twente, masenti sate pa tsiku, ndipo iye anali ndi banja.

¹⁰⁹ Ndipo m—mkazi wamng'onoyo, pokhala wofooka, iye—iye anafa.

¹¹⁰ Ndipo imafika nthawi ya Khrisimasi. Ndipo mtsikana wamng'onoyo, iye anali atayamba... zotupikana, samakhala ndi chakudya choyenera ndi chinthu; iye anatengera TB, nayenso. Ndipo iye anali kamunthu kakang'ono, ndipo pafupifupi zaka eyiti, naini zakubadwa, teni. Ndipo iye anali asanakhalepo nacho chidole cha Khrisimasi. Ndipo icho ndi chimene iye ankafuna ngati mphatso, chinali chidole.

¹¹¹ Ndipo bamboy, samakwanitsa kuti amupatse iye chisamaliro cha mankhwala ndi zina zotero, anali... iye—

iyē anamuwona mtsikana wamng'ono yo akupita mofulumira, ndipo iyē anayesetsa mwakukhoza kwake kuti—kuti—kuti—kuti atolere ndalamā zokwanira pamodzi kuti amugulire iyē chidole pa Khrisimasi; ngati iyē akanangopeza zokwanira kuti amugulire iyē chidole chaching'ono! Ndipo kotero nthawi ya Khrisimasi inali kubwera, nyengo yoipa inayambika, mtsikana wamng'ono yo anayamba chibayo, ndipo—ndipo iyē anafa, masabata pang'ono isanafike Khrisimasi. Ndipo bamboyo, inde, anasweka mtima, iyē anapita ku kachitini kake kakang'ono ndipo anakatulutsamo ndalamazo. Ndipo iyē anaganizira za mtsikana wake wamng'ono, ndipo iyē ankafuna chi—chidole monga atsikana aang'ono. Mwaona, akudzakhala amayi aang'ono.

¹¹² Inu mukudziwa mmene mtsikana wamng'ono, iyē amakonda chidole, chifukwa iyē...ndicho chikhaliidwe chake, iyē—iyē akudzakhala mayi. Iye adzakhala mayi tsiku lina ngati angakhale moyo ndi chirichonse. Inu mukudziwa, chikhaliidwe chake. Ndi chifukwa chake mtsikana wamng'ono amakonda chidole chaching'ono, iyē amafuna kuti azichisamalira icho; chifukwa kuwonjezera apo, iyē—iyē ndi wamng'ono, mwakulankhula kwina, ndi—ndi—ndi mayi wamng'ono.

¹¹³ Ndipo iyē ankafuna chidole chaching'ono, ndipo iyē anali asanakhalepo nacho chirichonse. Ndipo Adadi anali atasungira chirichonse chimene iyē akanakwanitsa kuti—kuti amugulire iyē chidole chaching'ono. Ndipo, kotero, iyē anafa.

¹¹⁴ Ndipo abambowo anali ngati anabalalika mmalingaliro. Akazi awo anali atatengedwa, mtsikana wawo wamng'ono, ndipo malingaliro awo anakhala ngati anafika pa malo mpaka iyē—iyē...apobe iyē ama—amapita ku bedi usiku uliwonse ndipo amakayankhula ndi mtsikana wamng'ono uyu, ngakhale iyē anali...analı ataikidwa mmanda. Koma iyē ankaganiza kuti iyē anali—iyē anali kuyankhula ndi iyē, ndipo amamuua iyē, “Tsopano, Wokondedwa, sipatenga nthawi, ndipo Adadi akugulira iwe chidole ichi pa Khrisimasi. Ndipo—ndipo Adadi anakulonjeza iwe chidole, ndipo ine—ndine—ine ndikugulira icho.”

¹¹⁵ Potsiriza, Khrisimasi inafika. Ndipo, zonna, inu mukudziwa mmene izo zimakhalira. Olemera anali ndi awo—maphwando awo aakulu; ndi—ndi makandulo akuyaka, ndi mamisa otchuka apamwamba mmatchalitchi, ndipo akuyankhula za Yesu ndi—ndi zina zotero (mipingi imatero), ndi kumadutsa ndondomeko zonse za misa, ndi kuimba, ndi nyimbo ndi zirizonse. Ankadziwa pang'ono za zomwe zinkachitika kumbuyo mkanjira, kuseri kwa zonsezi.

¹¹⁶ Kamunthu kakang'ono aka kumbuyo uko, ndipo iyē anazungulira mutu. Iye ankafuna kuti mtsikana wamng'ono uyo adzakhale ndi chidole icho kwambiri, chifukwa iyē anali

atachipempha chidole chaching'ono icho kwambiri. Kotero iye anapita ndipo anakamugulira iye kachidole ka chiguduli, kakang'ono—kanthu kakang'ono, mwinamwake pafupifupi masenti sate; kanthu kakang'ono kakuda kamene iye anagula, kumusi m'mbali mwa msewu. Ndipo iwo unali usiku wozizira kwenikweni, m—m—mphepo yachisanu ikuomba, chisanu chikugwa molimbika kumeneko; ndipo New York, ku gombe uko.

¹¹⁷ Ndipo misewu ikudzadza; ndipo anthu ali mmagalimoto awo apamwamba, aakulu a limozini. Ndi maphwando oledzera, akumwa kumeneko, chisangalalo cha kubadwa kwa Khristu ndi za zinthu izi zimene ife tikuzikamba usikuuno, kuyesera kumaganiza kuti ndiyo njira yolondola yochitira izo; kungomwera kuti aiwale nkhawa zawo zakale ndi zinthu, ndipo iyo—ndiyo njira yake yochitira izo. Onse a iwo . . .

¹¹⁸ Nditalima mu sitolo, tsiku lina, ndipo mkazi akuyankhula zokhudza zomwe . . . atsikana awiri anakumana ndipo ankafuna kudziwa chimene awagulire abambo awo. Ndipo mmodzi wa iwo anati, "Chabwino, iye . . ." Iye awagulira iwo katoni ya mtundu wina wa ndudu. Ndipo winayo anati iye awagulira iwo mowa wa muyezo usanu ndi—ndi—ndi mpukutu wa njuga. Tsopano ngati uko sikuli kupereka mphatso ya chikumbutso cha kubadwa kwa Ambuye Yesu Khristu! Ndipo umo ndi mmene izo zikuyendera, inu mukuona, iwo ndi mulu wawukulu chabe wa zonyezimira. Izо ziribe Krisimasi mwa izo konse.

¹¹⁹ Ndipo kotero ife tikupeza tsopano, bambo wamng'ono uyu, iye amayendayenda kumeneko. Ndipo iye amadziwa mu mtima mwake mtsikana wake wamng'ono anali atapita, koma iye anapita ndipo anakagula chidolecho mulimonse. Ndipo iye anaganiza, "Ine ndingoyamba kumayenda, ine ndimupeza iye penapake. Iye akhala ali mmphепete mwa msewu kuno ndipo ine ndimupeza iye." Ndipo iye anayamba kumayenda.

¹²⁰ Iye—iye sakanzipusitsa yekha, iye sanali kumbuyo uko nkanyumba kakang'ono ndi mu bedi laling'ono, laziguduli, lakuda; koma, iye anali ataikidwa mmanda. Kotero, iye—iye amadziwa. Iye ankaganiza kuti akamupeza iye pa msewu. Iye anati, "Ine ndizingoyendabe." Ndipo iye anali akutsika mtinjira tating'onoto, pamene iwo anali kuimba nyimbo zawo ndi kumapitirira. Ndi kumayenda akutsika mkanjira, atanyamula kachidole kakang'ono aka, kakuda; atakagwirizira iko mu chikhotho chake, pafupi ndi mtima wake, akuganizira za mtsikana wake wamng'ono.

¹²¹ Ndipo potsiriza wapolisi zinachitika kuti anamuwona iye, ndipo wapolisiyo anali ali ndi zakumwa iyemwini, ndipo anathamangira mu kanjirako ndipo anakamugwira bambo wokalambayo ndipo anamubweza iye. Iye anati, "Ukuchita chiyani ukuyendayenda kuno?"

¹²² Iye anati, “Ine ndikutengera chidole chaching’ono ichi, bwana, kwa mtsikana wanga wamng’ono.”

¹²³ Iye anati, “Chabwino, inu mumakhala kuti?” Ndipo iye anamuuzza iye kumene iye amakhala. Iye anati, “Chabwino, inu mukupita kutali ndi malo amenewo, inu mwaledzera. Mubwerere njira inayo.”

¹²⁴ Anati, “Bwana, ine—ine sindinalledzere. Ine ndinamulonjeza mtsikana wanga wamng’ono ine—ine ndidzamugulira iye mphatso ya Khrisimasi.” Ndipo anati, “Mphatso yoyenera ya mtsikana wamng’ono ndi chidole chaching’onochi.”

¹²⁵ Ndipo iye anati, “Ndiloleni ine ndichiwone icho.” Chotero iye anamuwonetsa iye kachidole kakang’onoko, kokhala ngati kakuda, kachiguduli. Ndipo iye anali atagwirizira iko mwake... pafupi ndi chifuwa chake, atagwirizira kachidole kakang’onoko pamene iye... Chotero wapolisiyo, ataledzera mwatheka, iyeyo, anamukankha iye ndipo anayamba kumatsika. Bambo wokalambayo anatsikira mmusi mkanjirako, ndipo chisanu chikugwa mofulumira.

¹²⁶ Ndipo, chabwino, maphwando a pakati pa usiku anayambika. M’mawa wotsatira, chisanu chinali chitatha, dzuwa linali litatuluka. Ndipo koteri iwo ayenera... anthu onse akuchokera ku maphwando awo azisangalalo zazikulu anali... matumba a chisanu pa mitu yawo, chifukwa cha kumwa kwambiri ndi chisangalalo cha—kubadwa kwa Khristu. Ndipo—ndipo ambiri a iwo anali atasasa mawu chifukwa chomangoyankhula, chifukwa cha zochitika zonsezoo.

¹²⁷ Koma pansi mkanjirako, iwo anamupeza bambo wokalambayo. Ndipo pamene iwo anamutembenuza iye, iye anali ali ndi chidole chaching’ono pafupi ndi mtima wake. Ine ndikuganiza iye anatengera mphatso yake kwa iye. Iye anakamupeza iye mu Dziko osati kuno. Iye—iye—iye anatenga mphatsoyo. Iyo inali mphatso yoyenera. (Mulungu, wachifundo.) Komabe izo zinamutengera iye imfa yake. Panalibe njira ina mu dziko lapansi yomwe iye akanamupatsira iye mphatsoyo, iye anali ataikidwa mmanda. Koma njira yokhayo imene iye akanachitira izo, inali kupita monga choncho. Chidole chaching’onocho chinalibe tanthauzo kwambiri, ine ndikuganiza, chidole chaching’ono cha nkhopo yakuda, koma icho... bwanji iye anachita izo? Icho chinakwaniritsa lonjezo limene iye anapanga. Ziribe kanthu kuti anthu amagananiza chiyani za izo, manja ake akuda pa chidole, chaching’ono chakuda, koma icho—icho chinakwaniritsa lonjezo kwa mtsikana wake wamng’onoyo.

¹²⁸ Nthawizina iwo amayang’ana pa Uthenga ngati kuimba, kusewera, iwo samawufuna Iwo pamene Mulungu amawubweretsa Iwo, koma izo zinakwaniritsa lonjezo lakuti Iye akanadzamupatsa Mwana Wake. Ndipo inu mukudziwa

chiyani? Iwo anamusiya Iye kuti afe, nayenso, chimodzimodzi ngati masikini pa msewu. Ndiko kulondola ndendende, iwo anamusiya Iye kuti afe ngati masikini pa msewu. Ndipo lero iwo akumutenga Iye ngati masikini pa msewu, koma Iye anakwaniritsa chimene Iye amayenera kuti adzachite. Iye anali Mphatso imene Mulungu analonjeza kwa dziko.

¹²⁹ Usikuuno, mundilore ine ndimutenge Iye ngati Mpulumutsi wanga kwa mtima *wanga*. Mundilore ine ndiyende kumaso kwa imfa yanga, kapena chirichonse chomwe icho chiri, monga choncho. Ine ndinalonjeza moyo wanga kwa Iye. Ine ndikufuna kuti ndiwutengere iwo kwa Iye. Ziribe kanthu kaya ine ndipita kuti, ngati ine ndikuyenera kudutsa kudzera mu imfa, ngati ine ndikuyenera kuti ndiwomberedwe; ziribe kanthu kaya kuchitika chiyani, ine ndiyenera kusekedwa, kutchedwa “wamisala,” chirichonse, kuchotsedwa ku mipingo ya Chikhristu yonse ndi zina zotero, ine...iyo ndi mphatso ya Mulungu imene ine ndaigwirizira mumtima mwanga. Iye anandipatsa iyo, ine ndikufuna kuti ndiitengere iyo kwa Iye.

Tiyeni tiweramitse mitu yathu kamphindi chabe.

¹³⁰ Mphatso zoyenera zimene ine ndayankhulapo, iyo inali mphatso yoyenera chifukwa mtsikana wamng'ono... iye anali mtsikana wamng'ono, woti adzakhale, mayi wamng'ono (akanadzakhala), mphatso yoyenera inali chidole chaching'onocho. Mphatso yoyenera imene Mulungu, Mlengi, akanakhoza kuperekwa kwa chirengedwe Chake, ikanakhoza kukhala Mpulumutsi woti alipulumutse ilo ku chikhalidwe chomwe ilo linalimo. Ine ndikudabwa, usikuuno, pamene ife tikuyandikira Khrisimasi tsopano, ndipo ine ndikuganiza uwo ukhala uthenga womaliza ife titamve pakati pa tsopano ndi Khrisimasi, pokhapokha ngati ife tingapeze uthenga wapawayilesi wa winawake.

¹³¹ Ine ndikudabwa, usikuuno, ngati ife tailandira Mphatso imene Mulungu anatilonjeza ife: Moyo Wamuyaya, kuti tikakhulupirire pa Khristu ndi kulandira Mzimu Woyer. Ngati inu simunatero, inu mukufuna kulandira mphatso yeniyeni, yoona ya Mulungu ya Khrisimasi, inu mungakweze dzanja lanu? Ndikuti, “M'bale Branham, ine—ine sindikudziwa, ine ndatero—ine nthawizina ndakhulupirirapo Izo. Ndipo ine ndaonapo zinthu zimene ine ndikuchita. Ndipo ine ndimakhala ngati, pang'ono pokha, ndimakaikira.” Musati—musamakaikirenso, abwenzi.

¹³² Mwaona, izo—nthawi yatha kuti tizikaikira tsopano. Tiyeni tikhale otsimikiza kwenikweni za izo. Nenani, “Mundipempherere ine, M'bale Branham, ndipo ine ndikufuna kutero... Mphatso ya Mulungu kwa dziko, ndiyo Yesu Khristu. Ine—ine—ine ndikufuna iyi ikhale Khrisimasi yeniyeni. Ine ndikuvomereza Mzimu Woyer mu mtima mwanga. Umene

ungandifungatire ine kudutsa mikuntho yonse ya moyo, ndipo tsiku lina ine ndikhoza kudzabwera mu Kukhalapo Kwake ndi mphatso iyi ya Moyo Wamuyaya. Iye adzandilandira ine pa maziko amenewo, ndiyo njira yokhayo Iye ati adzachitire izo.

¹³³ Kapena, kodi inu muli ndi mphatso yoyenera usikuuno? Cholina cha mtundu woyenera? “Atate, ine ndidzakutsatirani Inu kulikonse kumene Inu mukupita. Chirichonse chimene Inu mungati ‘Chita,’ ine ndichita icho. Chirichonse Mawu Anu anena kwa ine, ‘Chita,’ ine ndichita icho. Inde, Bwana, ine sindikusamala chomwe wina aliyense akunena, ine ndichita icho chifukwa ine ndikufuna Mphatso Yanu; iyo ndi Moyo, ndipo Khristu ndi Mawu.”

¹³⁴ Ngati inu simungathe kukhulupirira Mawu onse, ndi kuti, “Chabwino, ine sindikudziwa, ine—ine ndikukhulupirira zimenezo...*ichi*, ine ndikukhulupirira *icho*, koma basi ine sindingatsatire *ichi*, ine sindingatsatire *icho*.” Inu muli ngati sevente aja amene anapita. Iwo sanathe kuvomereza Mawu onse ndi kumulandira Khristu mu chidzalo cha Umulungu Wake ndi utumiki Wake; ndi kukonzekera kuti afe monga Iye anakuchitirani inu.

¹³⁵ Ndiye kodi inu mungangokweza mmwamba dzanja lanu, ndi mutu wanu woweramitsidwa, ndikuti, “Mundipempherere ine”? Mulungu akudalitseni inu. Ndipo Mulungu akudalitseni inu. Mulungu akudalitseni inu. Mulungu akudalitseni inu, mtsikana wamng’ono. O, Mulungu akudalitseni inu. Inde, ine ndawona dzanja lanu. Ambuye akudalitseni inu, ndithudi. Mphatso yaying’ono iyi, ya Khristu, imene Mulungu anaitumiza kwa dziko; ndipo anadzaizindikiritsa Iyo ndi...Amagi anaizindikiritsa Iyo, moyo Wake Womwe unaizindikiritsa Iyo, imfa Yake inaizindikiritsa Iyo, chiukitsiro Chake chinaizindikiritsa Iyo, kuvomereza kwanu kunaizindikiritsa Iyo, ndipo Iye amadzizindikiritsa Yekha limodzi ndi inu kuti inu muli Ake ndipo Iye ndi wanu. Ngati inu simuli kwenikweni... mwaona, kuyankhira kwa Mzimu wa Mulungu ukugwira ntchito mwa inu, mu nyengo ino ya Khrisimasi, kubwere kwa inu tsopano.

¹³⁶ Atate Akumwamba, pamene ife tikuzandima ngati wopemphetsa pa msewu, palibe aliyense anali naye ntchito iye. Dziko limapitirirabe mu zikondwerero zawo zopusa, chomwechonso iwo usikuuno, Ambuye. Koma nthawizina ife timamverera ngati wopemphetsa uja, koma ife tavomereza Mphatso. Kotero ife tikupemphera, Atate, kuti Inu mutipange ife tikhale mphatso, ya kuwala, kwa dziko lino lakufa. Ambiri pano akweza manja awo kuti iwo akufuna Mphatso ya Mulungu imene Iye anachita, Yekha, kuperekwa Mwana Wake yekhayo wokondedwa, anabwera pansi, anadzakhala Munthu. Iye anazitsitsa motsika kwambiri mwakuti iwo sanati nkowwe... Iye anabwera motsika kwambiri ndi modzichepetsa kwambiri

mpaka Iye—Iye analibe ngakhale bedi poti abadwirepo. N—n—ng'ombe imayenera ku...kapena bulu kapena chinachake chinachita kupereka modyera mwake, chinaima pambali, (chiweto) anthu anali atatengeka mu chochitika chinali kumeneko. Iye—Iye anadzatsikira mo—modyera, kamphanga kakang'ono ka khola kumbali ya phiri uko mu Betelehemu, kumene mwana wa hule anayambitsa mzinda waung'onowo zaka zambiri m'mbuyo.

¹³⁷ Ndipo tsopano, Ambuye, ife tikupeza kuti usiku wina, usiku wozizira, zinanenedwa kwa Iye, "Rabbi, ife tikufuna kuti tipite kwanu ndi Inu usikuuno."

¹³⁸ Ndipo Iye anati, "Chabwino, tsopano, mbalame ziri ndi zisa, ndipo—ndipo nkhandwe ziri ndi mphanga, koma ine—ine—ine ndiribe... ngakhale malo oti ndigonetsepo mutu Wanga." Ndipo umo ndi mmene iwo anamusiyira Iye kuti afere, monga masikini pa msewu.

¹³⁹ Atate Akumwamba, kodi—Mkhristu, kodi anthu lero angawone kuti—kuti Iyo ndi Mphatso yaikuluyo? Ndipo ambiri pano, usikuuno, oposa dazeni, ine ndikuganiza, anakweza manja awo kuti iwo akufuna kuti alandire Mzimu Woyeria. Mulole pamenepe zingokhala monga amuna anzeru, mwinamwake palibe mwa osonkhana onse angawone konse chimene chikuchitika. Ndipo Nyenyezi iyi, Kuwala kwachinsinsi uku kunadutsa pamwamba pa mofufuzira, kwa zaka ziwiri, kumene anthu ankasunga nthawi ndi mawotchi anayi, iwo ankasunga nthawi pogwiritsa ntchito nyenyezi. Palibe munthu, palibe wa zambiriyakale analemba za izo. Palibe ankadziwa kanthu za Iyo, ndipo komabe Iyo inali pamenepe. Ndipo amuna anzeru awa, ndi mphatso zawo zoyenera, anatsogozedwa kudutsa kupita kwa Iyo. Mulole Kuwala komweko kubwere mu mtima uliwONSE, pano usikuuno, umene wakhala pano. Apo pakhoza kusakhala zogirigisha, apo pakhoza kusakhala *ichi, icho*, ndipo mwinamwake palibe wina aliyense angadziwe izo, chimodzimodzi monga amuna anzeru. Koma mulole chinachake chikhazikike mmitima ya amuna, akazi, anyamata ndi atsikana awa usikuuno, kuti Mphatso iyo ya Mulungu idzodze moyo wawo. Kuti kuyambira usikuuno, iwo asinthisidwe. Iwo sakhalanso monga mmene iwo analiri. Iwo akhala cho—cholengedwa chosinthika kuyambira pano mpakana. Mulole iwo, monga amuna anzeru, atembenuke ndipo asadzapitenso ku mafashoni a mdziko (ndi Herodi, nyumba ya mfumu), "Koma pochenjezedwa ndi Mulungu, iwo anapotoloka." Perekani izi, Ambuye.

¹⁴⁰ Usikuuno ine ndikupemphera kuti mwamuna wanzeru aliyense, mnyamata, kapena mtsikana, muno usikuuno... Mwamuna kapena mkazi amene ali wanzeru mokwanira apotoloke achoke ku zinthu za dziko lapansi usikuuno, asabwererekonso pambuyo pa tsiku lino. Zikatha izi—kudutsa

kwa tsiku lino ndi usiku, iwo asabwererenso ku zinthu za dziko lapansi, koma mulole iwo akakhale anzeru. Ndipo Liwu laling'ono ili lachinsinsi limene linawapangitsa iwo kuti akweze dzanja lawo ndikuti, "Inde, ine ndikufuna Mphatso ya Mulungu" . . . Mulole chinthu chomwecho chimene chinawapangitsa iwo kukweza manja awo, chiwazindikiritsse iwo usikuuno ndi imfa Yake, kuikidwa mmanda, ndi chiukitsiro, powapatsa iwo Mzimu Woyer. Mulole iwo apotoloke.

¹⁴¹ Mulole akazi awa pano usikuuno, Ambuye, amene akhala ndi nthawi yovuta kuti asayanjanenso ndi dziko lapansi; akalole tsitsi lawo lizikula, ndi kuziveka monga dona, ndi kuchotsa zoziapkakpa izi ndi zinthu, zonyengezera izi, zimene zimasonyeza . . . izo—izo zikuwazindikiritsa iwo kuti sali a thanzi, iwo . . . apo—apo pali chinachake cholakwika. Ndipo mulole usikuuno, Kuwala kwakung'ono kwachinsinsi uku, Ambuye, kumene kwawapangitsa iwo kuti akweze manja awo, mulole iwo anene kuti, "Ambuye, ine ndikupotoloka kuchoka ku zinthu za dziko lapansi, usikuuno."

¹⁴² Amuna awa amene sanakhale nacho—chi—chinachake chenicheni, chimene chingayankhule ndi akazi awo ndi kuwapangitsa iwo kuti apotoloke usikuuno; ndi zinthu zimene iwo amachita. Mulole ife tonse pamodzi, Ambuye, tingopotoloka usikuuno, pochenjezedwa ndi Mulungu ndi uthenga wachirendo waung'ono wa—wa Kuwala kwa Mulungu kumene kumakhudza mitima yathu. Mulole ife tipotoloke usikuuno ndipo—ndipo tikakhaliyre moyo Inu masiku athu onse, tipite—tipite kunyumba ndi Inu pogwiritsa ntchito njira ina yosiyana ndi yomwe ife takhala tikuyendamo. Perekani izi, Ambuye. Tipangeni ife tikhale Akhristu abwinoko, Mkhristu aliyense pano usikuuno, Atate, amene wakuvomerezani Inu ndipo akukhulupirira pa Inu. Ndipo iwo ayesetsa kukhala moyo wa Chikhristu, koma usikuuno, mulole iwo apotoloke, mulole iwo alandire Mphatso imeneyo.

¹⁴³ O Mulungu, ndi—ndi—ndi njira yonyozedwa. Akazi adzitchedwa "akachitidwe kachikale," iwo adzitchedwa chirichonse. Ndipo amuna adzitchedwa "otengeka." Koma ndife—ndife okonzeka, Ambuye.

¹⁴⁴ Mzimu Woyer, tipatutsireni kumbali ife, pakali pano. Ndipatutsireni kumbali ine, Ambuye. Ine—ine—ine sindikufuna nkowmwe kuti ndipite kulikonse kumene kunganditsogolere ine kutali ndi Inu. Ambuye, ine—ine ndikufuna ndingopita mnjira imene Inu mungafune ine ndipiteko. Ine ndikufuna mphatso ya mtima wanga ikhale yangwiyo kwambiri mwakuti iyo ikuzindikiritseni Inu, Ambuye, pa dziko, kuti Inu simuli wakufa, Inu muli wamoyo.

¹⁴⁵ Ndinu Mulungu wa amoyo, osati Mulungu wa akufa. Akufa amaphimbidwa onse ndi ntchentche, ndi ntchentche

zazikulu, kumapanga majeremusi ndi ntchentche zambiri; ngati munthu akamamwa koyamba, akamasuta ndudu yake yoyamba, akamanena bodza lake loyamba, akamazembera mkazi wake kwa nthawi yoyamba; kapena mkazi amene amazembera mwamuna wake, kapena amachita zinthu zimene ziri zolakwika; chimodzimodzi ngati ntchentche yawaluma iwo, ndipo izo...izo—izo zimadzadzana pa...zimapita kudzala ndi kunyansi, chifukwa izo ziri pa moyo wakufa mkatimo. Mizimu yoipa imapita kwa izo. Ndipo mzimu umodzi woyipa umamupangitsa iye kuti azichita chinachakenso; ndipo wina umabwera, kudzamupangitsa iye kuchita chinachake chifukwa iwo anachita *ichi*.

¹⁴⁶ Mulungu, mulole iwo apotoloke ndipo abwere ku Moyo. Mulole iwo adzuke, ndipo Angelo a Mulungu atsike ndi mphatso za Moyo Wamuyaya, Ambuye, ndipo apite kuchoka ku chigonjetso kupita ku chigonjetso. Perekani izi, Atate. Ife tikupotoloka, usikuuno, kuchoka ku zinthu za pa dziko lapansi ndi zosamalira za mdziko, titachenjezedwa ndi Mulungu kuti nthawi yayandikira, Yesu akubwereranso pa dziko lapansi. Ndipo mulole Mzimu Woyeria Wawukulu utipatse ife, usikuuno, Moyo Wamuyaya uwo umene ife tikuwyembekezera. Perekani izi, Ambuye. Ife ti—ife tikungopemphera kuti Inu mupereke madalitso awa kwa ife pamene ife tikuwapempha iwo mu Dzina la Yesu Khristu.

Ndi mitu yathu yoweramitsidwa:

¹⁴⁷ Amuna anzeru kalekale anabwera kumeneko... anatsatira Kuwala uko ku...iwo anakupeza Kuwala Kwangwiyo. Ndipo mulole Kuwala kwakung'ono, usikuuno, kumene kunakupangitsani inu kuti mukweze dzanja lanu, kapena mwinamwake inu simunatero nkomwe... Iko kunakukhudzani inu, koma inu simunakweze nkomwe dzanja lanu, mulole Kuwala kumeneko kukutsogolereni inu kupita ku Kuwala Kwangwiyo uko.

Tiyeni tonse tingoima, pa utumiki waung'ono wa kudziperekwa.

¹⁴⁸ Tiyeni tiwupange mtima wathu waung'ono apa, usikuuno, malo okhalapo a Khristu. Kumbukirani, usikuuno, nkhanu yanga yachirendo yaing'ono ya masikini. Usikuuno, kwenikweni, Yesu Khristu ndi masikini ameneyo pa msewu. Uko nkulondola, Iye—Iye anali masikini pa msewu. O, eya, ife tikuti, “Ife timamutumikira Iye.” Zedidi. Zonyezimira zonse ndi zothwanima, zimenezo si Iyeyo. Zimenezo si Iyeyo. Iye anachita kufa kuti adzakubweretsereni inu Mphatso iyi, osati chidole, koma Moyo. Iye anachita kufa ndi cholinga chakuti adzachite zimenezo, kuti adzafikire kwa inu, njira yokhayo imene Iye akanakhoza kufikira kwa inu. Iyeakanangobwera kuno ndi kudzakhala Munthu wangwiyo, monga Iye analiri, ndi kudzafika

kwa inu. Iyeakanachita izo mwanjira imeneyo. Iye ankayenera kuti adzafe kuti adzachite izo, kuti adzafikitse—adzafikitse Mphatso ya Mulungu kwa inu. Monga ma—masikini uja anachita kufa kuti akapereke kachidole kakang'ono kwa mtsikana wake, Khristu anachita kufa kuti adzampereke Mulungu kwa inu. Ife tikufuna kuti tivomereze Izo usikuuno. Ndipo ine ndikukhulupirira, ndi mitu yathu yoweramitsidwa,...ndipo tiyeni tingokweza manja athu kwa Mulungu ndipo tiipereke miyoyo yathu mwatsopano, pompano usikuuno.

¹⁴⁹ O Mulungu Wachisomo, ife—ife tikufuna Mphatso Yanu. Ine—ine ndiri pano, pamene nyengo ya Khrisimasi ino, Ambuye, pamene ine ndikuzindikira ndi kuyang'ana pa dziko lapansi ndi kuwona zonyezimira ndi zokopa za tsikuli, ine—ine ndikutha kungoona...kunja uko, monga Baibulo linanenera, m'badwo wa Laodikaya uwu, Inu muli kunja kwa mpingo Wanu. Inu mwakanidwa, wothawathawa kwa mpingo Wanu Womwe ndi kwa anthu Anu Omwe. Ndinu—Ndinu—Ndinu wokanidwa. Wo—wothawathawa kukhala chinachake chomwe chakanidwa, ndipo Inu mukukanidwa mu mpingo Wanu Womwe. Inu mwakanidwa pakati pa anthu Anu. Iwo sakukufunani Inu, Ambuye, ndipo iwo akusiyani Inu, monga masikini, pa msewu. Mulungu, Inu—Inu—Inu munapitabe, munakafa mulimonse, kuti Inu mukathe kubweretsa Mphatso ya Mulungu kwa ife. Ndipo ife modzichepeta tikuilandira Iyo, Ambuye. Ine ndikupemphera kuti Inu mudzangodzadza mmitima yathu ndi miyoyo. Ndipo mutitembenuze ife, kuyambira usiku uno, ndipo mulole ife tikakhale Anu kwathuthu pamene ife tikudzipereka tokha kwa Inu.

¹⁵⁰ Ndilandileni ine, Ambuye. Zochuluka ndi zolakwitsa za moyo zomwe ine ndapanga. Ndipo, wokondedwa Mulungu, pamene—pamene ine—pamene ine ndaima pano pa malo oyera awa pamene Uthenga ukulalikidwa ndi pamene ife takuwonani Inu pano, ngakhale mu—Kuwala kwakukulu kumene kunawalira iwo. Ndipo ndife oyamikira kwambiri chifukwa cha izi, Ambuye. Ine—ine ndikudzipereka ndekha chifukwa cha Khrisimasi iyi, osati mu...ndipo monga dziko lingachitire kapena ku—kapena kutembenuza masamba atsopano. Ambuye, ine—ine ndikungofuna kuti ndimulandire Mwana Wanu. Ine—ine ndikufuna kuti ndilandire Mphatso Yanu, Ambuye.

¹⁵¹ Ine ndikufuna kuti ndilandire Mphatso ya Moyo Wamuyaya kudzera mwa Khristu. Ndipo ine, moonadi, Ambuye, ndikulandira Mphatso ya Khristu kwa ine, kuti ndiyesere kupindulira ena kwa Inu. Mulungu, ife wina aliyense....

¹⁵² Mumpange mkazi wamng'ono wapakhomo akhale wokoma kwambiri ndi wodzichepeta, kuti iye adzathe kuwatsogolera ena kwa Inu. Mphatso imene Inu munampatsa iye, yachikazi yaing'ono iyo yonga ya dona, mulole iye akhale wachi

dona mpaka oyandikana akamuwona iye ndipo—ndipo azifuna kukhala ngati iye.

¹⁵³ Mumupange mwamuna, wogwira ntchito mu shopu, aliyense yemwe iye ali, Ambuye; mumupange iye moyo wodzichepetsa, monga Khristu, kuti ena akakhoze kuwona. Ife sitikudziwa kumene anthu awo aimakunja uko, Atate, koma ife sitikufuna kusiya msewu waukulu, wakale; koma ife tidzitsamira mmbuyo, kutsamira mtsogolo, kukafikira kulikonseko kuti tikapeze moyo. Muike icho mwa kupeza kwathu, Ambuye, ife tikupemphera. Ndipo tipatseni ife m—m—moyo umene ungapangitse anthu kufuna kukhala monga chomwecho, pamene ife tikudzipereka tokha kwa Inu, usikuuno. Mu Dzina la Yesu Khristu. Ameni.

Tsopano, ngati inu mungaweramitse mitu yanu kamodzinso, ine ndikufuna ndikufunireni mmodzi aliyense wa inu mafuno abwino a Khrisimasi:

¹⁵⁴ Mulole Choperekachachikulu cha Khrisimasi, Choyambacho ndipo chokhacho ndipo chapachiyambi ndi Chokhacho chimene chiripo, Yesu Khristu, akhale watsopano mu mtima mwanu usikuuno. Mulole Mzimu Woyer ubwere kwa inu ndipo ukubweretsereni inu mphatso yotumikira ndi zinthu zochokera kwa Mulungu, kuti inu... mphatso yoti inu muzikhala moyo wabwinoko. Ndicho chimene ine ndikufuna. Ine kuli bwino ndikhale ndi Moyo wa Khristu mwa ine kuti ndizikhala wokoma ndi wachigonjetso kuposa mmene ine ndingakhalire ndi mphatso zonse za machiritso, mphatso za maulosi, mphatso zina zonse izo; ingondipatsani ine Yesu. Mulole ine ndikhale Moyo, Moyo ndi umene ine ndikuwufuna kukhala. Ine ndikufuna kukhala moyo kuti ena adziwe. Ndicho changa—ndicho chokhumba changa pa Khrisimasi, ndipo ine ndikupemphera kuti icho chikhale chokhumba chanu. Ndipo ine ndikupemphera kuti Mulungu atipatse ife chokhumba Chake.

¹⁵⁵ Tsopano, tiyeni timve mawu kuchokera kwa abusa, ndipo atibalalitse. Ndipo Mulungu akudalitseni inu. Ife tidzakuwonani inu Lachitatu usiku. Kufikira nthawi imeneyo, Mulungu akudalitseni inu.



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